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- P202—BLUE BOY.** The nearest to true blue of any Phlox. Color best in light shade.
- P203—BRIGADIER.** Large, vivid flower heads of flame-orange, darker red eye.
- P204—EVA FORRESTER.** Splendid large blooms of coral-pink with white eye. Not pictured.
- P205—JULY GLOW.** Glowing carmine-red. This beauty is not pictured.
- P206—PINK CHARM.** Immense flowers of bright clear pink.
- P207—PRIME MINISTER.** Pure white with bright crimson eye.
- P208—PURPLE SUPREME.** Warm purple shaded violet, a beautiful color.
- P209—SAN ANTONIO.** Magnificent scarlet heads shaded plum-red. Famous for lasting brilliancy.
- P210—WORLD PEACE.** Enormous pure white blooms of exceptional beauty. Not pictured.

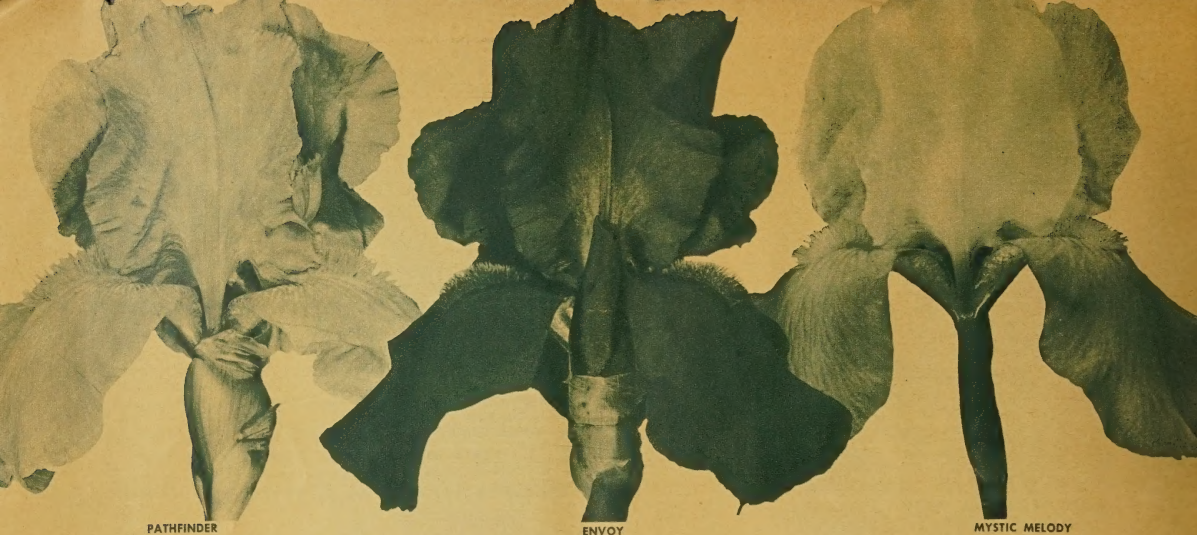
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PLANT PHLOX RATHER SHALLOW but firmly in good fertile garden soil that is well drained —10 to 15 inches apart—in a rather open, sunny place. They should have plenty of moisture during dry periods, but water the ground around them only—do not spray stems or foliage. Keep faded blooms picked. To control rust, mildew or red spider, use any good garden spray, applying when the air is still and foliage dry.



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X23—MYSTIC MELODY. A very lovely, glamorous Iris with rich butter-yellow falls and silken cream standards. The color harmony superb, the form splendid; excellent growing habits. See picture of this wonderful Iris at top of page. \$1.75 each, postpaid.

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X18—JULIET. Large, flaring blooms of flame copper with salmon shadings, with the central area and beard a brilliant burnt orange. One of the most colorful and fiery blends we have seen.

X19—MASTER CHARLES. Rich, glowing mulberry purple with distinctive charm and form; brown haze at center. The large, glowing flowers are borne on tall, strong stems.

X20—MATTERHORN. Pure glistening white, even the beard. Large, delicately waved and ruffled blooms are well spaced on slender, well branched stems. Lovely.

X21—ROCKET. This Whitting origination is fittingly named, with standards of deepest chrome-yellow and falls of true orange almost to the edge. Blooms of ideal form on well branched, 3-ft. stems.

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Eight "Pictured" Iris

These Beauties Are All Pictured on Page 5

X2—CLOTH OF GOLD. One of the finest of all pure yellow Iris—deep in color, perfectly formed, with flaring falls and enriched with glowing orange beard. Fragrant. 75c each; 2 for \$1.35, postpaid.

X3—COCK PHEASANT. A flash of glowing color, like the plumage of a cock pheasant. Rich tapestry red or garnet, with a tantalizing overlay of terra cotta on the falls. Moderate size flowers of graceful form have firm substance and a rich finish. A great new Iris. \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.85, postpaid.

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X5—GOLDEN RUSSET. Enormous and beautiful flower of warm golden russet, very outstanding. Blooms are often 7 inches high and 9 inches wide, produced on heavy, 40-inch stalks. A majestic Iris that really stands out. \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.85, postpaid.

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X8—SKY RANGER. Very tall (up to 54 inches), this stately and heavily ruffled medium blue dominates the Iris garden. Flowers are large, of very attractive form and good stance, with smooth finish. 90c each; 2 for \$1.65, postpaid.

X9—VATICAN PURPLE. Splendid, imposing flowers of rich, bright blue-purple with a silken finish. The well rounded flowers are heavy in texture with wide spreading falls; excellent 3-ft. stems. 75c each; 2 for \$1.35, postpaid.

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Plant them shallow in good, WELL DRAINED garden soil in a sunny location, barely covering the rhizomes with soil, the roots extending down into the ground like fingers, spacing 12 to 18 inches apart. Go easy on fertilizers, especially animal fertilizer. Bone meal well worked in is safe and good.

ORDER EARLY, as Iris ship more safely and plant more successfully before their new growth starts.



COCK PHEASANT



SKY RANGER



LILAC
LANE



CLOTH
OF
GOLD

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HANDSOME.
"NEW LOOK" IRIS



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RUSSET



VATICAN
PURPLE



PINK
CAMEO



GIBSON
GIRL

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Ferris' HARDY GARDEN PERENNIALS

"DE LUXE" PERENNIALS

Famous Specialties for Your Garden. Nearly All Are Pictured on Page 7.

(See planting directions for Perennials on page 25.)

P10—ARTEMISIA SILVER MOUND (*Schmidia nana*). Handsome, compact, mound-like plant growing only 4-6 in. tall and 12-15 in. broad. Fertilike foliage of bright silvery gray. Excellent for edging walks or beds, for the rock garden, or as accent plants in the border. Hardy, preferring a sunny location. 65c each; 3 for \$1.75, postpaid.

P11—GIANT ENGLISH ASTERS. Sensational, new varieties, producing quantities of delightful, colorful flowers in late summer and fall that are so fine for cutting. 3-4 ft. Pictures on page 7 show blooms about one-half actual size. Choice of (a) Cardinal, lovely lustrous red, (b) Janet McMullen, soft rose-pink, and (c) The Archbishop, grand rich deep purple-blue. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

P12—ASTILBE QUEEN ALEXANDRIA (*Spiraea*). Beautiful perennial with excellent, glossy foliage of light green, and lovely graceful flower-plumes of deep rose in June-July. 22 in. Plant in deep, rich, moist soil in a cool, shady spot for best results. Fine for borders or to combine with evergreens. See color photo on page 7. 80c each; 3 for \$2.10, postpaid.

P14—ASTILBE GLADSTONE (*Spiraea*). Another handsome Astilbe, with attractive divided leaves, and feathery plumes of white. 20 in. 80c each; 3 for \$2.10, postpaid.

P15—BLEEDING HEART, Old Fashioned (*Dicentra spectabilis*). The lovely, durable favorite of grandmother's garden. Deep rose-red, heart-shaped flowers are produced on arching stems. Hardy, thrifty and long-lived. Does best in light shade. 2 ft. Pictured in color on page 7. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

P17—CARNATION CARDINAL. Fine, hardy, dependable Carnation, with crisp, double, bright red flowers in great masses throughout most of the summer. Likes sunlight. A plant of great charm for the rockery or border, and the fragrant blooms are excellent for cutting. 20 in. Pictured on opposite page. 65c each; 3 for \$1.75, postpaid.

P18—CARNATION JUNE CARMINE. All summer there are hundreds of blooms of rich rose-carmine, and so fragrant. Strong rugged plant, 12-15 inch stems. Beautiful in the garden or in bouquets. See color photo on page 7. 65c each; 3 for \$1.75, postpaid.

P19—DELPHINIUM, PACIFIC GIANT HYBRID. Most spectacular of the new hybrids. Many blooms are fully double, texture heavy, colors superb, spikes large and fine for cutting. Mixed colors only. Pictured on page 7. 60c each; 3 for \$1.55, postpaid.

P20—DIANTHUS PINK PRINCESS. Very finest, new Dianthus—developed by Dr. Hildreth of the U. S. D. A., Horticultural Field Station, Cheyenne, Wyo. When established the plant is more than 12 in. across and less than a foot tall. From spring until fall, this charming plant is covered with scores of beautiful, double, rose-pink flowers that are richly fragrant. A plant you will enjoy greatly in your border. Pictured on page 7. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

Half-A-Dozen Garden "Gems"

Beautiful, Hardy Perennials—in Great Favor Everywhere
FERRIS' PRICES on the 6 Perennial "Gems" described below
(Your Choice, all one kind or assorted to your liking)

2 for \$1.00 ★ 5 for \$2.25 ★ 10 for \$3.98
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P37—CANTERBURY BELLS (*Campanula*). Beautiful name for a beautiful biennial flower. The 2½ ft. well branched plants are profusely covered with large bell-shaped flowers. Extravagantly showy in the border, and so delightful in flower arrangements. Pictured at left. Choice of (a) light blue; (b) dark blue; or (c) pink.

P38—PINK-TINT BABY'S BREATH (*Gyp. oldhamiana*). More erect in habit than the ordinary Baby's Breath, and continuous bloomer. Flowers good size, flesh and pink tinted, are fine for cutting.

P39—DELPHINIUM, FERRIS' HYBRID. A very special mixture—large tall flower spikes of elegant color shades, delicate to deep blue and purple, blending with lavender, pink and rose, many two-toned and double. One of the loveliest of all flowers for your garden. 4-6 ft. Mixed colors only. Pictured at upper left.

P40—CRIMSON BEAUTY PYRETHRUM. A very fine strain of all red Pyrethrum (Painted Daisy). Their vivid blooms will add gaiety to your early border.

P41—STATICE, Sea Lavender. Picturesque and valuable plant for rockery or border. Leathery leaves hug the ground, and are topped in July and August with spreading, feathery sprays of tiny purple-blue flowers. They are excellent fillers in floral arrangements, also to dry for winter bouquets.

P42—SWEET WILLIAM (*Dianthus barbatus*). The old favorite, and always colorful and charming in the garden or bouquet. Formal, brilliant flower heads, of the most striking color combinations, cover the plant in great masses through June and early July. Rich clove fragrance. Sun or light shade.

P21—RUSSELL LUPINES (*Lupinus*). Tall, 3-ft. stately columns are solidly filled with Sweet-Pea-like flowers, all colors and tints imaginable, most of them bi-color. Plant in bold clumps in the sunny border, and give them plenty of water during dry periods. This grand perennial is pictured in color on opposite page. 55c each; 3 for \$1.40, postpaid.

P23—LYTHRUM MORDEN GLEAM. New, Beautiful, Hardy—and the nearest red of all Lythrum. Lovely bright, well filled flower spikes of brilliant carmine-red come and go all summer. Strong, healthy, easy to grow, and very long lived. 3 ft. See color photo on page 7. 60c each; 3 for \$1.55, postpaid.

P24—LYTHRUM MORDEN ROSE. The Newest of the Lythrum, and generally acclaimed as the finest. Flowers are a rich, deep rose and are borne profusely on a strong, shapely plant, 3½-4 ft. tall. Plant in your tall border or background, and enjoy these beauties all summer. 60c each; 3 for \$1.55, postpaid.

P25—MARCONE FRINGED DAISY. See picture of this handsome flower at the left. Hardest and best of the double fringed daisies, we think. In June and early July the sturdy, 2-ft. plant freely produces the 3-4 inch flowers of gleaming white with yellow center. Fine cutting blooms on long, strong stems. 60c each; 3 for \$1.55, postpaid.

P26—MOUNTAIN OF GOLD (*Euphorbia polychroma*). Unique and very charming border plant; excellent for rockery. During May and June the formal, 1-ft. mound is striking with bright lemon yellow rose-shaped flowers—so attractive in the early border. Beautiful foliage throughout the summer. See color photo on opposite page. 65c each; 3 for \$1.75, postpaid.

P27—PLUMBAGO (*Larpenale*). One of the most delightful border and rock garden plants. Lovely, low-growing, 6-8 inch plant with small, leathery, heart-shaped leaves of bronzy green, covered in late summer and fall with small clusters of brilliant blue. Likes full sun or light shade. Splendid for edging, for the low border or rockery. 60c each; 3 for \$1.55, postpaid.

P28—VERASCUM PINK DOMINO. This new and picturesque flower you will find most admirable in the background of your perennial border, or as bold clumps. The stately, branched spikes, 3 ft. or more in height, are covered with soft rose-pink flowers from June until September. Foliage rich and somewhat woolly. Plant about 8 inches apart in good, well-drained soil. See color photo of this beauty on page 7. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

P29—VERONICA SAPPHIRE (*Holophyla littoralis*). One of the more dwarf Veronicas, and one of the best. Beautiful glossy foliage, with 12-inch spikes of large, deep, vivid indigo blue flowers. A good grower, and blooms from August until frost. For a rich mass of color in the border, nothing could be finer than Veronica Sapphire—see picture on opposite page. 60c each; 3 for \$1.55, postpaid.

P30—VERONICA ELEGANS. Another outstanding Veronica, with beautiful flowering spikes of clear pink. Height 10-15 inches. 60c each; 3 for \$1.55, postpaid.

Half-A-Dozen Garden "Favorites"

Splendid Hardy Perennials, Long Time Bloomers
FERRIS' PRICES on the 6 Perennial "Favorites" described below:

(Your Choice—all one kind or assorted to your liking)
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P31—AQUILEGA LONG SPURRED (*Columbine*). Extra fine hybrid with dainty, graceful flowers of exquisite form and coloring, spurs unusually long. Blooms of blue, white, pink, rose, yellow and lavender. Plants are long-lived and bloom nearly all summer. Mixed only. Pictured on page 7.

P32—COREOPSIS. Glistening yellow flowers—hundreds of them—all summer long on a very hardy, thrifty plant. Notched edges, graceful stems. Very beautiful and useful in bouquets, ideal foreground plant for Delphiniums. 2 ft. Color photo on opposite page.

P33—GAILLARDIA. Rich blooms in shades of orange, red and yellow all summer and fall. One of the hardest and most dependable of all flowers. Grand in the border, very fine for cutting. Likes a sunny location. 2 ft. See picture on page 7.

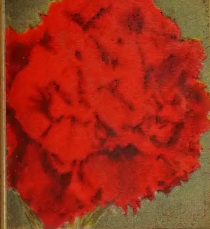
P34—PERENNIAL SWEET PEA (*Lathyrus latifolius*). Very popular with all flower gardeners. The vine-like plant is covered with lovely clustered flowers, pink to rose-red, which are fine for cutting. Wonderful plant for covering a trellis or fence, or for covering banks, rocks or stumps. Blooms nearly all summer.

P35—PLATYCODON, Balloon Flower. Ornamental balloon-shaped buds open to large, flaring bells of rich blue. Very hardy, easy to grow, and long-lived. Blooms are borne on 2 ft. stems, from July to September. Splendid plant for the hardy border. See picture on page 7.

P36—PYRETHRUM, Painted Daisy. Colorful Daisies in great quantities during May and June—pink, rose-red and white. Attractive fernlike foliage. Fine, hardy, easily grown perennial; makes wonderful bouquets. Mixed only. Pictured on opposite page.

FERRIS' HYBRID DELPHINIUM

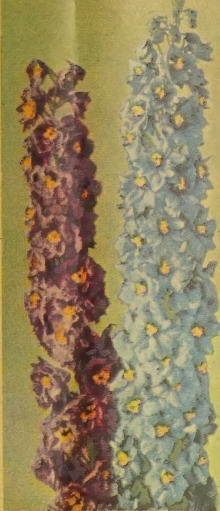
MARCONE FRINGED DAISY



CARNATION CARDINAL



COREOPSIS



PACIFIC GIANT DELPHINIUM

CARNATION
JUNE CARMINE

LYTHRUM MORDEN GLEAM



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DIANTHUS PINK PRINCESS

(P15) Perennial "Stars" Special

1 Aster Janet McMullen	1 Lythrum Morden Gleam
1 Aster The Archbishop	1 Lythrum Morden Rose
1 Carnation June Carmine	1 Mountain of Gold
1 Pacific Giant Delphinium	1 Russell Lupine
1 Astilbe Queen Alexandria	1 Verbascum Pink Domino
1 Gaillardia	1 Veronica Sapphire

12 HANDSOME PERENNIALS

Eleven of them are pictured on this page. Some are tall growing, some medium and one or two low. A Border of Beauty, Fragrance and Rich Color from spring until fall for your home grounds. (Catalog price, \$7.65.)

FERRIS' SPECIAL (Postpaid)

(See Planting Directions for Perennials on page 25.)

\$5⁹⁹



RUSSELL LUPINES



SWEET WILLIAM



PLATYCODON



ASTILBE QUEEN ALEXANDRIA



VERONICA SAPPHIRE

ASTER THE ARCHBISHOP (top)
ASTER JANET McMULLEN (below)**(P22) Perennial "Favorites" Special**

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| 1 Aquilegia Long Spurred | 1 Coreopsis |
| 1 Aster Cardinal | 1 Ferris' Hybrid Delphinium |
| 1 Dianthus Pink Princess | 1 Pink Tint Baby's Breath |
| 1 Bleeding Heart Old Fashioned | 1 Platycodon |
| 1 Canterbury Bell | 1 Pyrethrum |
| 1 Carnation Cardinal | 1 Sweet William |

12 FAMOUS PERENNIALS

Eight of them are pictured above and two on opposite page. Wonderful, long-time bloomers for the Border Beautiful. (Catalog price, \$6.45.)

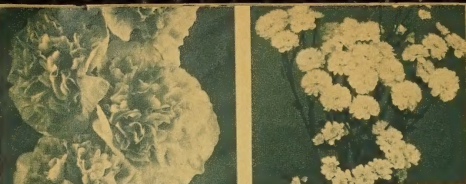
FERRIS' SPECIAL (Postpaid)

\$4⁹⁸

MOUNTAIN OF GOLD



VERBASCUM PINK DOMINO



DOUBLE HOLLYHOCK



ACHILLEA PEARL



SEDUM SIEBOLDI



SEDUM SPECTABILE



HIBISCUS



CORAL BELLS



SCABIOSA CAUCASICA

LIATRIS
SEPTEMBER GLORY

5 "POPULAR" PERENNIALS

FERRIS' PRICES on the 5 "Popular" Perennials described below:

(Your Choice — all one kind or assorted to your liking)

2 for 75c ★ 5 for \$1.65 ★ 10 for \$2.75 (POSTPAID)

P43—BABY'S BREATH (*Gypsophila paniculata*). Dainty, feathery flowers and foliage, plant growing about 2 ft. tall. Cut sprays are delightful in bouquets of garden flowers and roses. Likes sun and not too heavy soil.

P44—CAROLINA LUPINES (*Thermopsis caroliniana*). Long 2-3 ft. spikes of lovely, soft yellow, pealike flowers in June and July, looking very much like a golden Lupine. Plant in a sunny, well-drained border, 8 inches apart.

P45—HARDY PINKS (*Dianthus Plumarius*). Old-fashioned Pinks are a delight in any garden, with their charming colors, fringed petals, spicy fragrance 12-15 in. Recommended for the sunny border, rock garden, or for niches in the rock wall.

P46—GIANT ALASKA DAISY (*Chrysanthemum maximum*). Huge, snow-white flowers in great numbers, and one of the finest and most useful of all border plants. Beautiful massed alone, and also effective in separating colorful hues of other flowers. Excellent for cutting; June, July, 18-24 in.

P47—HIBISCUS, Mellow Marvel. Tall growing plant (3-4 ft.), with an abundance of large, flaring, showy blooms in late summer and fall. Splendid for background, hedges, or bold clumps in the border; blooms make handsome bouquets. Mixed only.

GROUND COVERS

P48—SEDUM SIEBOLDI. The loveliest of all the Sedums, there is no doubt about it. The spreading plant of charming pattern is covered with round, thick silvery gray leaves with faint reddish margin all summer. Bright pink flowers from September until frost. Likes full sunlight. Excellent for edging or for rockery, and a good pot plant also. 75c each; 3 for \$2.00, postpaid.

P49—DWARF LACE PLANT (*Polygonum reptans*). Handsome ground cover for the sunny place. This new variety grows 6-8 inches above ground with thick light green foliage that turns to brilliant red in the fall. Lovely buds of deep coral and salmon open in autumn to tiny pink sprays of flowers not unlike those of the Silver Lace Vine. Excellent plant to edge the sunny border, for sunny bank or terrace; plant 18 inches apart. 60c each; 5 for \$2.75; 10 for \$5.00, postpaid.

P50—VINCA MINOR BOWLES (Periwinkle). The finest ground cover for shade. This new, improved type has unusually heavy foliage of waxy green (near-green) with more and larger bright blue flowers than the old type. Very fine for edging shrubs, to plant with ferns in the shady border, or to carpet the ground under trees where grass does not thrive. Plant 6-12 inches apart. 55c each; 5 for \$2.50; 10 for \$4.40, postpaid.



DWARF PHLOX (Subulata)



BABY'S BREATH



ALASKA DAISY

ARMERIA
GLORY OF HOLLAND

ARTEMISIA SILVER KING

VINCA
MINOR
Finest ground
cover for shadeDWARF LACE
PLANT
Finest ground
cover for sun

10 PERENNIAL "BEAUTIES"

FERRIS' PRICES on the 10 Perennial "Beauties" described below:

(Your Choice — all one kind or assorted to your liking)

2 for \$1.00 ★ 5 for \$2.25 ★ 10 for \$3.89 (POSTPAID)

P51—ACHILLEA. Excellent showy plants for rock garden or border. Delightful clustered flowers and decorative foliage. 15-18 in. Blooms are fine for cutting. Choice of (a) *Filipendula* (bright yellow); (b) *Pearl* (double white); or (c) *Roseus* (rose-pink).

P52—ARTEMISIA SILVER KING. Sometimes called Ghost Plant. Feathery foliage of frosted silver on a branching, 2 ft. plant gives fine contrast in the flower garden or bouquets. A favorite for winter bouquets. Likes ordinary soil and a dry, sunny location.

P53—ARMERIA, Glory of Holland. Fascinating, ball-shaped blooms of bright pink profusely crown the cushion-like plant from late May through July, and are fine for cutting and drying. Ideal for edging borders or for clumps in the rockery. 18 in.

P54—EVERBLOOMING BLEEDING HEART (*Dicentra eximia*). Handsome, fernlike foliage; pretty clusters of pink flowers the season through. Does well in sun or shade. Fine for rockery, wild flower garden or perennial border. 18 in.

P55—CORAL BELLS (*Heuchera*). One of the most graceful of the flowering perennials, yielding an abundance of miniature coral-red bells on fine but strong stems that are excellent for cutting. Vigorous, hardy and long-time bloomer. Fine for edging walks or borders, as well as for rock gardens. Grows 12-18 in. tall; likes plenty of sunlight and good but not too heavy soil.

P56—DOUBLE HOLLYHOCK. Favorite tall growing perennial. Compact florets of our select Double strain look like double roses. Splendid for the sunny border, or in bold mass effects. Mixed only.

P57—LIATRIS SEPTEMBER GLORY. Late summer's glory — tall, 4-6 ft. plummy spikes solidly covered with beautiful purple flowers from top to bottom, lasting a long time. The dried blooms are used in winter bouquets. Ideal for background or bold clumps in the border. Sun or shade.

P58—DWARF PHLOX, Subulata. Also known as Moss or Mountain Pinks. In early spring this charming dwarf is covered like a sheet with tinted blooms. Ideal for edging, ground cover or rockery. Plant in full sun. Choice of (a) *Blue Hills* (lovely pale blue); (b) *Atropurpurea* (brilliant cyclamen-red); or (c) *Vivid* (handsome bright pink).

P59—SCABIOSA CAUCASICA (Pin Cushion Flower). Exquisite frilled and fluted flowers of azure blue, with "pin cushion" center come and go nearly all summer. One of the finest for cutting. Plant *Scabiosa* in light, well drained soil in a sunny border, about 8 inches apart; they do not thrive in heavy damp ground.

P60—SEDUM SPECTABILE BRILLIANT. Most notable of the erect Sedums, developing a mound of light green foliage, topped with immense heads of handsome rosy-crimson flowers in late summer and fall. Beautiful, long-lived border plant, and a favorite for the rockery; sun or light shade.

(P65)

PERENNIAL "BEAUTIES" OFFER

- 1 Achillea Pearl
- 1 Achillea Roseum
- 1 Artemisia Silver King
- 1 Baby's Breath
- 1 Carolina Lupine
- 1 Coral Bell
- 1 Giant Alaska Daisy
- 1 Hibiscus
- 1 Double Hollyhock
- 1 Liatris September Glory
- 1 Scabiosa Caucasica
- 1 Sedum Spectabile

12 FINE BORDER

PERENNIALS

All are pictured on this page. (Regular catalog price, \$4.92.)

FERRIS' SPECIAL **\$3.98**
(Postpaid)

Clematis
Jackmani

Trumpet
Vine

Bittersweet
Vine

Clematis
Comtesse
de Bouchard

Chinese
Wisteria

Hall's
Honeysuckle
Vine

Clematis
Crimson
Star

V3—SUMMER BEAUTY VINE. (*Lonicera heckrottii*). Everblooming Honeysuckle—a splendid, hardy vine that from June until late frost is covered with large, beautiful, fragrant flowers, coral-red on the outside and golden inside. Luxuriant blue-green foliage. Fine for trellis, porch fence, or to cover banks or caves. Sun or partial shade. **98c each; 2 for \$1.65; 5 for \$3.75, postpaid.**

V6—BOSTON IVY. (*Ampelopsis veitchii*). Favorite covering for fireplace, brick or stucco walls—in fact, clings tightly to any surface without support. Beautiful, overlapping leaves of deep green form a dense sheet, turning to bright scarlet in the fall. **90c each; 2 for \$1.60; 5 for \$3.55, postpaid.**

V7—ENGELMANN'S IVY. (*Ampelopsis engelmannii*). Very fast growing, handsome, live leaved ivy that is hardy everywhere. Readily climbs rough walls, fences and trellises, and gives quick shade. Sunlight or shade. **65c each; 2 for \$1.15; 5 for \$2.50, postpaid.**

V4—HALL'S HONEYSUCKLE. (*Lonicera Halliana*). Long-time favorite, producing lovely, fragrant flowers of white and yellow nearly the summer through. Foliage almost evergreen. Does well in sun or shade. Fine for fences, trellises, or for covering banks. **65c each; 2 for \$1.15; 5 for \$2.50, postpaid.**

V1—BITTERSWEET. (*Celastrus scandens*). Famous native vine, with bright glossy foliage and ornamental sprays of orange-red berries in the fall that are so attractive in winter bouquets. Use two or three plants in a group to insure good fruitage. Sun or partial shade. **85c each; 2 for \$1.50; 5 for \$3.50, postpaid.**

V2—CHINESE WISTERIA. (*Leguminosae sinensis*). Noted for its beautiful, long drooping clusters of lavender-blue flowers in June-July. Grows rapidly; likes sunshine and deep rich soil, also plenty of moisture. Our plants are grafted—guaranteed to bloom. **\$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.80; 5 for \$3.95, postpaid.**

V3—TRUMPET VINE. (*Bignonia radicans*). Very showy vine, with large, trumpet-shaped flowers of brilliant orange and scarlet from July to September; good foliage. **88c each; 2 for \$1.60; 5 for \$3.65, postpaid.**

HOW TO PLANT VINES

Dig a large hole, filling in with good rich garden soil (too often close to the foundation the soil is very poor), then set the vines deeply, packing the earth firmly around their roots. Be patient as their new growth is often slow starting. Give them plenty of moisture, especially until well established. See special instructions for Clematis just below their descriptions.

CLIMBING ROSES go hand in hand with the Vines in beautifying trellises, fences and arches. See our fine list on page 52.

Clematis De Luxe Flowering Vines

FERRIS' PRICES ON ALL CLEMATIS VINES

(All one kind, or assorted)

Select. No. 1 Plants. Individually Root-Wrapped and Staked

\$1.56 each ★ 2 for \$2.98 ★ 5 for \$7.00 (Postpaid).

V8—CLEMATIS JACKMANI. Giant Purple Clematis — great favorite everywhere. Rich flowers in abundance the summer through.

V9—CLEMATIS CRIMSON STAR. Handsome, new, large flowering Clematis of rich crimson red, blooms sometimes 6 inches across.

IMPORTANT! Our customers have been especially pleased with the extra select grade of Clematis we handle—much heavier than the usual potted plants. W.F.

Planting Suggestions for Clematis

The ideal location is where they will get at least 5 to 6 hours of sunlight a day. Plant in good, rich, well drained garden soil, with the crown 2 to 3 inches below the surface. Spread roots well, working soil between them, and firm well. A little fertilizer and lime worked into the top soil once or twice during the season is most beneficial, as is a summer mulch of peat moss. Keep well watered in dry periods. Be sure to tie the top to a stake or support, as Clematis do not like to have their tops and leaves on the ground.

Flowering Vine Specials

V12

V15

1 Clematis Jackmani
1 Clematis Crimson Star
1 Hall's Honeysuckle
1 Trumpet Vine

1 Chinese Wisteria
1 Clematis Jackmani
1 Summer Beauty Vine

4 HANDSOME

3 COLORFUL

VINES.....**\$425**

VINES.....**\$325**

(Postpaid)

(Postpaid)

Summer
Beauty
Vine

Boston
Ivy

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GEORGE LUXTON MUM



DU-BON-A MUM



CECIL BEED MUM

CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Special!

EXTRA EARLY MUMS

Famous Beauties that Usually Start Blooming in Early September, and continue throughout the fall. They are great performers everywhere, but are particularly fine for the northern and central areas.

P115—AUTUMN BEAUTY. Large, 3-inch flowers of deep bronze shaded yellow and gold are freely produced on upright plants. Very beautiful.

P116—BRIGHTNESS. Bright yellow, 2½-inch, formal flowers are borne in clusters on long cutting stems. Tall, strong plant has a heavy covering of these blooms of rich gold.

P117—CECIL BEED. We consider this still the finest of all true pink Mums. Color a deep pink with tips of petals touched with gold. 2½-inch flowers, full and double, come in abundance on long stems.

P118—CHIPPEWA. Gorgeous, bright aster-purple, slightly incurved and with a fluty effect. A great favorite, 24 in.

P119—DU-BON-A. Large, 4-inch flowers of deep dubonnet red, and the most outstanding dark Mum yet introduced. Abundant blooms on a strong, 26-inch plant.

P120—EARLY KATHLEEN. Brightest orange-gold that deepens to red-gold at center; very lovely. Similar in color and form to the famous Kathleen Lehman but starts blooming three weeks earlier. 26 in.

P121—MARTIN'S WHITE. Immense, pure white, fully double flowers, 4-5 inches across, are perfectly formed from the inner swirl to the outer petals. 18 in.

FERRIS' PRICES ON THE EXTRA EARLY MUMS:

ANY 3 FOR \$1.50

ALL 7 (One each of the 7 varieties) for \$3.15 (POSTPAID)

(P100) 4 CUSHION MUMS

New, Perfected Hybrids

1 GOLDEN MOUND. Finest golden yellow

1 MAJOR CUSHION. Extra choice pink

1 PURPLE CUSHION. Handsome plum-purple

1 ROUGE CUSHION. Superior semi-cushion of intense crimson-red

Four Gorgeous Autumn Colors. These develop well rounded plants about 2 ft. tall and broad, and are famous for their great wealth of richly colored blooms from late August on.

(Postpaid) **\$1.50**

(P140) 10 BORDER MUMS

All Colors! This Ferris Collection

consists of all colors and

types of the Hardy Mums. Shades

of pink, rose, white, purple,

bronze, yellow and red. A surprise

assortment for you—unla-

beled as to name or color.

(Postpaid) **\$2.95**



MAJOR CUSHION MUM

We are happy and proud to present these new perfection in the Chrysanthemum family. They are early blooming, flowers large, colors rich and showy. They are selections especially recommended by Mum specialists, and chosen after a careful study of all new, outdoor types. Hardy, dependable, providing a riot of color from August until heavy frosts check their display. Last fall, from far and near, came hundreds of letters, full of glowing praise for Ferris' Mums.

FERRIS' PRICES—On the 11 Beautiful 'Mums Described Below:

Any 3 for \$1.65 ★ Any 6 for \$3.10 (Postpaid)

P101—BUTTERS-COTCH. Giant 5-inch flowers with incurved petals, color a golden yellow changing to beautiful apricot-bronze with age. Mid-September. Ideal for long stem cutting. See color photo on page 11.

P102—CRIMSON GLORY. This magnificent, new, extra large Mum of vivid cardinal-red is pictured on opposite page. The strong upright plant produces an abundance of these wonderful blooms, starting in September.

P103—DELIGHT. Large perfect flowers of golden yellow; excellent plant and foliage. Considered the best early yellow. Height 28 in. Pictured in color on opposite page.

P104—EARLY WHITE. Finest, very early, clean cream-white. Excellent-textured, wide petals, and an unusually clear tone. Wonderful Mum for the North, starting in early September. See color photo on page 11. Height 18 inches.

P106—FOOTBALL BRONZE. One of the newer and famous Lehman Mums — an extremely early, large flowering incurved bronze. Tall, strong, upright plant produces quantities of the handsome flowers, which are so fine for cutting. See picture on page 11.

P107—JEWELTONE. Sparkling bright rose-pink pompon. Robust plant completely covered with the lovely, 1½ inch flowers. A "jewel" in the garden or in bouquets. September; height 24 in. Shown in color on opposite page.

P108—LIMELIGHT. A pleasing light yellow pompon. Very vigorous grower. Early; fine for cutting. 30 in. See picture of this lively Mum on page 11.

P109—LIPSTICK. Brilliant mound of fiery strawberry-red flowers. The compact plant grows 22 in. tall, starting to bloom in September. This sparkling Mum is shown in color on page 11.

P110—MURIEL RICE. Mum of the year 1955, by Lehman, the famous Mum expert. Extremely thrifty, 26-inch plant produces multitudes of fully double, 4-inch flowers of light primrose-yellow, which soon soften to deep cream. Later in the season they acquire a faint lavender tinge much like the Peace Rose. See picture of this grand flower on page 11.

P111—OLD LAVENDER. Large, massive, pure lavender flowers on strong sturdy stems. Larger, brighter and earlier than Lavender Lady. Pictured in color on opposite page.

P122—PURPLE WATERS. The very best, early, deep purple Mum. Large, very double, 3-inch flowers of rich coloring completely cover the 2-ft. sturdy plant, and are fine for cutting. See color photo on page 11.

3 MINNESOTA BEAUTIES

Outstanding, New, Hardy Mums Developed by the University of Minnesota Horticulture Department. Because of their very early blooms and vigorous nature, they are particularly fine for the North.

P136—GOLDEN FANTASY. Brilliant, double, fringed blooms of richest golden yellow, and 3-in. in diameter top a sturdy plant 18 inches tall and nearly as broad. The tubular petals are both flared and forked at the ends, giving the bloom a unique shaggy effect. Starts blooming in early September and continues until killing frost.

P137—MINNBRONZE. A very dwarf and spreading type cushion Mum, growing not more than 9 to 12 in. tall and 12 to 16 in. across. This is a mass of vivid bronze double blossoms, 1½ in. in diameter, from mid-September on. Wonderful for edging the flower border, in front of foundation plantings, also in planters and window boxes.

P138—MINNPINK. Handsome cushion plant is completely covered with double, rose-pink blooms, 1½-2 in. across, from mid-August until hard frost. Minnpink will develop a spread of 2 feet or more and grows 12 inches tall.

ALL THREE MINNESOTA MUMS.

only

(Sold as a collection only)

\$2.00

POMPON MUMS

Charming miniature Mums, like big full buttons, and often a whole bouquet of them on a single spray. The shapely plant is full of these perky blossoms that are so fine for cutting.

P125—EARLY GOLD. Very early, bright golden yellow pompon with dark foliage. 18 in.

P126—HAPPINESS. Delightful, salmon-pink pompon.

P127—HONEYCOMB. Formal golden-bronze pompon.

P128—JUBILEE. Glowing crimson-red. 18-inch plant all aglow for weeks.

P129—MASQUERADE. Trim, compact flowers of silvery lavender and rose. Very heavy bloomer.

P130—SNOWBIRD. Double ball-type pompon, the 1½-inch white flowers showing a distinct lemon-yellow center.

FERRIS' PRICES ON THE POMPON MUMS

Any 3 for \$1.50

6 (One each of the six varieties) for \$2.75

18 (Three each of the six varieties)

for \$7.50

(POSTPAID)

Large-Flowering Mums

Four Grand Champions—outstanding in color, size and beauty. In the garden they are great performers, their big blooms on long stems are perfect for cutting.

P131—APACHE. Brilliant flowers, 4-5 inches in diameter, with quilled petals, color a flashing fire-cracker red with golden overcast. Sturdy, bushy, 2-ft. plant is ablaze with color from mid-September on.

P132—CANARY. The very finest early, large-flowering light yellow in existence. Flowers very large, fluffy, and exquisite soft yellow. 18 in.

P133—GEORGE LUXTON. New 1955 beauty from Lehman, and a great flower in every way. Extremely early, fully double, 3½-inch flowers, wide-petaled, are of melting soft bronze, and are wonderful for cutting. 2 ft.

P134—PATRICIA LEHMAN. This Grand Champion produces large flowers of sparkling cerise-pink with peach center. Recurved and twisted petals give a fluffy, leathery effect. Superb in bouquets. 2 ft.

ALL FOUR LARGE-FLOWERING MUMS, only

(Sold as a collection only.)

12 LARGE-FLOWERING MUMS

(3 Collections)

\$5.50

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Special GIFT **MUMS** ☆

2 FINE NEW MUMS, our choice, sent FREE with each \$5.00 Mum order selected from pages 10 and 11 of this catalog.

FERRIS' *Finest* *Chrysanthemums*



LIPSTICK

JEWEL-TONE

DELIGHT

EARLY WHITE

LIMELIGHT

BUTTER-SCOTCH

CRIMSON GLORY

OLD LAVENDER

PURPLE WATERS

MURIEL RICE

FOOTBALL BRONZE

(P105) 5 Supreme Mums

- | | |
|-----------------|---------------|
| 1 Butterscotch | 1 Delight |
| 1 Crimson Glory | 1 Early White |
| | 1 Jeweltone |

These 5 SUPREMELY BEAUTIFUL MUMS.

Rich, distinctive color-beauty for your late summer-autumn landscape.

Only..... (postpaid)

\$2⁶⁰

(P114) 15 SUPREME MUMS

Three each of the 5 Supreme Mums, pictured in color in upper group.

for..... (postpaid)

\$7⁵⁰

(P122) 6 Champion Mums

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|-------------------|-----------------|
| 1 Football Bronze | 1 Muriel Rice |
| 1 Limelight | 1 Old Lavender |
| 1 Lipstick | 1 Purple Waters |

These 6 GRAND CHAMPION MUMS.

Outstanding in size and brilliancy.

Only..... (postpaid)

\$3⁰⁰

(P124) 18 CHAMPION MUMS

Three each of the 6 Champion Mums, pictured in color in the group at left

for..... (postpaid)

\$8²⁵

(P135) Combination Mum Special

11 NEW, OUTSTANDING MUMS. One each of the superb varieties pictured on this page.

Only..... (postpaid)

\$5⁴⁵

(P139)—33 NEW, OUTSTANDING MUMS. Three each of the superb varieties pictured on this page.

for..... (postpaid)

\$14⁸⁵

(These Mums are all described and individually priced on page 10.)



CORAL LILY

12—CORAL LILY (*Tenulfellum*). Charming Small Flowering Lily of Vivid Scarlet—pictured above. The 12-18 in. stalks are covered with the bright blooms through June. Very hardy and long-lived; a gem for rockery or low border. **35c each; 2 for 60c postpaid.**

13—ENCHANTMENT LILY. (P. Pat. No. 862). Enchanting in Color and a Great Performer. We picture one of the radiant heads from an Enchantment Lily on page 13, about one-third actual size. With many large, cup-shaped, upright flowers of an intense, blaring nasturtium-red, this Lily lights up the whole garden. The long-lasting flowers open in late June and early July on strong 3-4 ft. stems. Extremely hardy and long-lived. **75c each; 2 for \$1.35, postpaid.**

14—GOLD BANDED LILY (*Auratum*). One of the Most Beautiful of All Lilies — see picture on page 13. Large, graceful, fragrant flowers of ivory-white, thickly studded with crimson spots, and a band of gold through the center of each petal. 3-5 ft.; July-September. **75c each; 2 for \$1.35, postpaid.**

15—GOLDEN CHALICE LILY. A New, Hardy, Golden Beauty for Your Garden! Glowing cup-shaped blooms, often 4 to 5 inches across, are of bright yellow and gold, some suffused with light orange and apical tones. Upright blooming, with 6 to 8 flowers topping strong 2-3 ft. stems in June. Pictured in color on page 13. Extremely hardy, easy to grow. Plant 6-7 inches deep in sun or light shade. **65c each; 2 for \$1.10, postpaid.**

PLANT LILIES DEEPLY

6-10 inches—with the exception of the Day Lilies, which require more sheltered planting. Select a WELL DRAINED spot, somewhat sheltered, using a thin layer of sand under the bulb, tilting bulb slightly, then pack good rich garden soil firmly around it. Mixing one part of Neutral Peat Moss (offered on page 53) with three parts garden soil, when planting Lilies, will prove very beneficial. Mulch in late fall

(A1) TUBEROUS BEGONIAS

Color Illustrations on Page 13 Are
About One-half Actual Size

"They are the most beautiful flowers in all the world!" Time and again our customers have written us these very words. Like hand-painted Camellia blooms, such perfect form and so exquisitely colored they scarcely seem real. For indoor culture they have no equal, yet are just as fine for outdoor summer flowers. Wonderful for bouquets and decorative purposes.

We offer a very choice strain of fully double, Camellia-Flowering Begonias, their superb blooms borne on strong, erect stems. Our bulbs are extra choice, blooming size, 1½-2 in. in diameter. Cultural directions for both indoor and outdoor planting furnished with bulbs. Wonderful for shady spots, and the north foundation border.

Choice of these popular colors: (a) COPPER, (b) ORANGE, (c) PINK, (d) DARK RED, (e) SALMON, (f) SCARLET, (g) WHITE and (h) YELLOW.

2 for 60c ★ 5 for \$1.25 ★ 10 for \$2.25
(Postpaid)

Lovely Lilies

All Large, Select Blooming-Size Bulbs



REGAL
LILY

16—REGAL LILY. The All-Time Favorite. Grand, large white blooms lightly tinged pink, with golden yellow center and so fragrant. Sunlight or partial shade. Entirely hardy. 4-5 ft. July. Note picture above. **40c each; 2 for 65c; 10 for \$2.78, postpaid.**

17—OLYMPIC HYBRID LILY (*Centifolium*). Magnificent Hardy Garden Lily created by Jan de Graaf, and one you must have. The immense, broad trumpet flowers are borne in great clusters on 5-6 ft. stalks. Inside the blooms are pure white, while the outer petals are vari-tinged—some creamy yellow, some icy green, some soft luscious pink, others snow white. Long blooming period. Plant hardy and vigorous, does well in sun or shade. Plant 6 to 7 inches deep in a well drained spot. The picture on page 13 shows the Olympic blooms at about one-fourth their actual size. **60c each; 2 for \$1.00, postpaid.**

18—MID-CENTURY HYBRIDS. A grand, new hybrid mixture from Jan de Graaf and one of the best garden Lilies you can buy. Their broad, flaring blooms (both upright and outcuring) are borne in clusters on strong stems, varying from 2 to 4 feet tall. The brilliant color range is from shades of yellow and gold, to salmon, orange, scarlet and some a deep mahogany red. Extremely hardy, easy to grow, and once planted will last a lifetime. **65c each; 2 for \$1.10, postpaid.**

19—RUBRUM LILY. (*Speciosum Magnificum*) A Real Beauty and a Great Favorite. Extra large flowers of pink and white blend with crimson spots have sweet fragrance, and are fine for cutting. Choose a well drained spot, lightly shaded, for finest blooms. 3-4 ft. August-September. See color illustration on page 13. **75c each; 2 for \$1.35, postpaid.**



AURELIAN HYBRID LILY

L10—AURELIAN HYBRID LILY. Magnificent, New Hybrid. Big flaring, 6-inch trumpets are suffused with unusual blends, tints and markings, some with the rich gold and orange of a brilliant sunset. Picture above shows blooms at about one-fourth normal size. Extremely hardy, easy to grow, developing a strong, splendid clump. Plant 6 in. deep. Many years of breeding by an Oregon Lily expert have brought forth these elegant new hybrids in the Aurelian strain. **90c each; 2 for \$1.65, postpaid.**

L11—YELLOW TRUMPET AURELIAN. Wonderful, New Hybrid that has taken top Lily awards all over the country. In shape the blooms are much like the Regal, but larger, of heavier substance, and are borne on stronger stems—coloring in rich yellow and apical tones. They are very long lasting, and create a sensation either in the garden or bouquets. **\$1.59 each; 2 for \$3.00, postpaid.**

L12—ALLICE LILY. Brand New Aurelian Beauty—named for my wife, Allice Fertis. When established, this great new Allice Lily bears a dozen or more pure white flowers with rich apical centers. Blooms are about 5 inches across and face outward; they are borne on erect, strong but slender stems, 3-4 ft. tall. Plant about 5 inches deep in well drained soil, in full sun or light shade. See picture of this superb hybrid on page 13. **\$2.25 each.**

L14—"AURELIAN BEAUTIES" COMBINE. Consists of 1 Aurelian Hybrid, 1 Yellow Trumpet, and 1 Allice Lily—all 3 for **\$4.25, postpaid.**

Hemerocallis The New Hybrid Day Lilies

(Strong,

Blooming-Size Plants)

The Newer, Finer Hybrids that are far superior to the oldtime sorts. Very hardy, so easy to grow, blooming freely EVEN IN SHADE, and they last a lifetime. Plant 18-24 inches apart in ordinary garden soil, sunlight or shade, their crowns not more than an inch or two below the top of the ground. Mulch through the first winter. Strong, Blooming-Size Plants

L21—AUTUMN RED. Handsome, open, semi-flaring bloom of velvety red with a striking star of yellow in the center. 15 to 20 flowers on well branched, 36-inch stalks. Blooming season long, July and August. We picture this extra fine variety on page 13. **80c each; 2 for \$1.40, postpaid.**

L22—BROWN-EYED SUSAN. Large, distinctive flowers of rich golden yellow with precise brown eye-zone. Early midseason. 36-inch. **55c each; 2 for 95c, postpaid.**

L23—CABALLERO. A clear-cut, brilliant bi-color, with petals of rose-vermilion, sepals and throat golden yellow. Large flowers on 36-inch stems. June-July. **65c each; 2 for \$1.15, postpaid.**

L24—HONEY REDHEAD. Open, flaring flowers of bright velvety red with distinct border of creamy yellow. Very colorful in the garden. 3 feet; July flowering. **80c each; 2 for \$1.40, postpaid.**

L25—HYPERION. A famous Day-Lily, with immense flaring blooms of waxen, soft canary-yellow, and delightfully fragrant. These are borne in great numbers on stout, 40-inch stems, and are excellent for cutting. July-August. See picture of this beauty on page 13. **65c each; 2 for \$1.15, postpaid.**

L26—PURPLE WATERS. Lovely, full open flowers of rosy wine-purple and lemon yellow throat, petals recurved and ruffled. 3½ feet. Long season of bloom. June and July. A great favorite. **80c each; 2 for \$1.40, postpaid.**



BROWN-EYED SUSAN
DAY LILY

RUBRUM
LILY

GOLD
BANDED
LILY

ENCHANTMENT
LILY

OLYMPIC
HYBRID
LILY

GOLDEN
CHALICE
LILY

New Superb
ALLICE LILY
(See page
12)

AUTUMN RED
DAY LILY
(See page 12)

(L20) DAY LILY COMBINE

- 1 Autumn Red 1 Honey Redhead
- 1 Brown-Eyed Susan 1 Hyperion
- 1 Caballero 1 Purple Waters

These SIX GARDEN BEAUTIES
Postpaid, only \$3.25

(Two of these Day Lilies are pictured left,
and all are described and individually
priced on page 12.)

(L1) OUR LILY GARDEN SPECIAL

- 1 Aurelian Hybrid Lily 1 Enchantment Lily
- 1 Gold Banded Lily 1 Olympic Hybrid
- 1 Golden Chalice Lily 1 Regal Lily
- 1 Mid-Century Hybrid 1 Rubrum Lily

These EIGHT FAMOUS LILIES
Postpaid, only \$4.25

(Five of these Lilies are pictured above,
and all are described and individually
priced on page 12.)

EARL FERRIS NURSERY Hampton, Iowa

(See page 12 for de-
scription and further
prices on Tuberous
Begonias.)

(A2) TUBEROUS BEGONIA SPECIAL

- 2 Copper 2 Dark Red 2 White
- 2 Orange 2 Salmon 2 Yellow
- 2 Pink 2 Scarlet

16 BULBS—Large Blooming Size, only \$2.98
Postpaid

TUBEROUS
BEGONIAS
(See page 12)

HYPERION
DAY LILY
(See page 12)



HARDY GRAPES

Finest, Most Popular Varieties



CONCORD GRAPE

ASPARAGUS

Fresh and Tender from Your Own Garden.
Easy to Grow!

A little space in the garden will grow all of the Asparagus you will need. Space the rows 2 to 3 feet apart, and 1½ to 2 feet apart in the row. Plant the roots in deep, rich, well fertilized soil, with the crown up and about 3 inches below the surface. See that the roots are spread out, with the earth packed firmly around them, and fill trench only half full. Gradually complete the filling as the plants grow. Do not cut Asparagus the first year. In late fall, after freezing, cut back old tops and burn them, then fertilize with well-rotted manure.

B35—PARADISE. Extra Fine Asparagus. Stalks are giant size, of superb flavor, and rustproof. Yield extremely heavy, the crop continuing for many weeks. Ideally suited to freezing. No. 1, Field-Grown Roots, 12 for 95c; 25 for \$1.75; 50 for \$3.00; 100 for \$5.00, postpaid.

B36—CALIFORNIA 500. New, Outstanding Asparagus. This splendid variety is being grown extensively in the East and far West, and now is becoming very popular in the Middle West. It is a great performer, starting the crop unusually early in the spring — big thick, uniform shoots of unsurpassed flavor — and highly resistant to rust. Very heavy producer. No. 1, Field-Grown Roots, 12 for \$1.05; 25 for \$1.85; 50 for \$3.20; 100 for \$5.40, postpaid.

EARL FERRIS NURSERY — Hampton — Iowa



PARADISE ASPARAGUS

Luscious, Wholesome Fruits that are easy to grow. A few plants along the fence or arbor will produce big crops of juicy, rich grapes—wonderful for jelly, jam, canning, pies, etc. Our Northern-Grown Grapes, with their splendid roots and tops, start bearing the second year. They bear every year and last a lifetime. (See Planting and Pruning Directions for Grapes on Page 25.)

B21—INTERLAKEN. New, Extra Fine SEEDLESS Grape! This new outstanding variety has shown great promise even in colder sections. Bunches are large and well filled with medium size fruit of excellent quality and sweet delicious flavor, ripening a full month before Concord. It bears heavily, the fruit being golden yellow when fully ripe, and ENTIRELY WITHOUT SEEDS. Wonderful for eating. 2-yr., select. \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.75, postpaid.

B22—VAN BUREN. Newest, Finest Blue Grape! Extremely early, bearing large fruit of handsome dark blue color, juicy, and full of sweet, rich flavor; big, compact bunches. Bears as big crops as Concord. Makes the most delectable jam, jelly and wine. Pictured in color on page 19. 2-yr., select. 60c each; 2 for \$1.00; 5 for \$2.25, postpaid.

B23—CONCORD. It Never Fails! Concord does well everywhere—the best known and most popular grape. Large crops of big blue-black berries, full of juicy, rich, sweet flavor. A favorite for table use, for grape juice, jam and jelly.

	2	5	10	25
2-yr., select	\$0.80	\$1.60	\$2.85	\$5.65 (Postpaid)

Superior Quality Grapes

B24—CACO. Beautiful large bunches crowded with big, juicy, amber-colored fruit of a very delicious sweet flavor. Rapid, strong grower, bearing young and heavily. Outstanding, hardy red grape; ripens just before the Concord.

B25—MOORE'S EARLY. Large, blue-black berry, splendid quality; ripens 2 weeks before Concord.

B26—DELAWARE. The earliest red grape (ripens 10 days before Concord), and has super-fine flavor. Medium size fruit, dark red, its sweet delicate flavor making it ideal for desserts, juice and wine. Bears heavily.

B27—FREDONIA. Famous black grape that ripens 2 to 3 weeks earlier than Concord; extra hardy. Big compact clusters of juicy berries that have the most wonderful flavor. Heavy producer; fine shipper.

B28—PORTLAND. Splendid new white grape, and extremely early. Large, handsome fruit of golden amber-white, with a delicious, rich, spicy flavor. Hardy, strong grower; heavy producer.

	2	5	10	25
FERRIS' PRICES on these 5 "Superior Quality" Grapes:	\$0.95	\$1.90	\$3.40	\$6.75
2-yr., select				

B20—GRAPE SPECIAL

"Red, White and Blue"

3 Concord	1 Delaware
1 Moore's Early	1 Portland

6 FAVORITE GRAPES
only

\$1.95
Postpaid

B31—GRAPE SPECIAL

"All-Season Combine"

1 Concord	1 Moore's Early
1 Caco	1 Portland
1 Fredonia	1 Van Buren

6 SPLENDID, ALL-AMERICAN GRAPES
only

\$2.25
Postpaid

RHUBARB

(Pieplant)

B32—LINNÆUS. Big stalks, very tender, and of fine flavor — the kind that can be used all season. Makes delicious pies and sauce. Plant about 3 feet apart in good, rich soil, the crowns 1 inch below level of the ground. 3 for 89c; 6 for \$1.55, postpaid.

B33—CANADA RED. Chipman's new, super-deluxe, ALL RED RHUBARB. It's positively the sweetest and finest of all, its rich red color extending to the heart and clear up into the leaves. Pies and sauce made of Canada Red Rhubarb are rich—delicious—beautiful. 90c each; 3 for \$2.35, postpaid.

HORSERADISH

B34—The snappy relish that tastes so good in the spring-time. Fit the soil as you would for strawberries and plant with the top about 1 inch below the surface of the ground.

3 for 75c; 10 for \$1.75, Postpaid

HUGE BLUEBERRIES

FINEST NEW VARIETIES

(B50) Grow these Wonderful, Better-Flavored Blueberries in your garden now! Experts agree that these new and fully tested varieties are far superior to anything previously grown. They have extra large sized fruits of outstanding flavor. The plants are unusually vigorous and produce enormous crops, also are particularly resistant to pests and diseases.

Plants do best in rich loam that is kept acid by adding Aluminum Sulphate; they should have lots of moisture and good drainage. Shallow cultivation, with a 2 to 3-inch mulching of acid peat moss (offered on page 53), is ideal for Blueberries. For a continuous crop and best cross-pollenizing, plant all three varieties. A to 6 ft. apart. We offer (a) **Earliblue**, earliest of all and exceptionally large; (b) **Berkeley**, tremendous, mid-season berries and very sweet; (c) **Herbert**, late, very large, and so rich and delicious. Nothing finer for pies, jam and freezing, and you can grow them with ease.

Select 3-Year Plants: 3 for \$4.25; 6 for \$7.75 (Postpaid)

1 lb. Aluminum Sulphate included FREE with each three Blueberry plants.

JUNE BEARING

ROBINSON

(B40) Giant Size Berries of Wonderful Flavor. Robinson is one of the newer, outstanding June varieties, ripening shortly after the Dunlap. It has everything — a tremendous producer, with berries so large just a few will fill a box. The flavor and quality are of the finest, and for eating fresh, for preserving or for freezing, these delicious, bright red berries are simply great. Since its introduction it has become one of the most popular. Self-pollenizing. 25 for \$1.35; 50 for \$2.35; 100 for \$3.35; 250 for \$7.85; 500 for \$12.50, postpaid.

ARMORE

(B41) New, Super-Fine, Late Midseason Berry. Big, handsome, V-shaped berries of sunset red—rich, sweet and deliciously flavored. Fine for preserving, for freezing, and none better for eating fresh. Armore was developed by the Missouri Experiment Station, and has proved to be outstanding in its HEAVY crops, its healthy, hardy plants, and in its excellent shipping and handling qualities. Try some this year, for sure. Self-pollenizing. 25 for \$1.40; 50 for \$2.40; 100 for \$3.75; 250 for \$8.50; 500 for \$14.00, postpaid.

DUNLAP

(B42) The June Berry of the Century! Probably the oldest, yet still the favorite in many sections. It never fails to yield annually those enormous crops of big, rich berries of delicious flavor that are excellent for every purpose. Midseason; self-pollenizing. 25 for \$1.25; 50 for \$2.25; 100 for \$3.00; 250 for \$6.95; 500 for \$11.00, postpaid.

Grow Your Own Luscious Strawberries



RED RICH

Just a small corner patch set to our STRONG, VIGOROUS, ALL NEW, NORTHERN-GROWN PLANTS will produce enough juicy, rich berries for all the shortcakes the family can eat, and enough more for freezing, canning, pies, and other concoctions. Our plants are from strains as near Virus-Free as possible, and all of our Strawberry Plants have been twice inspected. They are so easy to grow, and a big help to the family budget.

EVERBEARING STRAWBERRIES

SUPERFECTION

(B43) The Heaviest Producing Everbearer. This Great New Everbearing Strawberry should be given a generous space in your berry garden. It gives the most fruit for your money—big, firm, juicy berries of rich flavor, and bright red throughout. They are grand for eating fresh, for preserves, and are exceptionally fine for freezing. Strong, dependable grower, a good plant maker, and hardy in all sections. In the trial gardens of the Iowa State College, Superfection produced at the amazing rate of 11,814 quarts per acre. Self-pollenizing. 25 for \$2.15; 50 for \$3.85; 100 for \$6.25; 250 for \$14.00; 500 for \$25.00, postpaid.

GIANT GEM

(B44) Fine Berries in 90 Days! Fresh, delicious berries all season long and fine performance over a period of several years have made Gem a favorite Everbearer line crop this fall, then next year bears from June on. Large, sparkling crimson berries of fine quality and flavor. Self-pollenizing. 25 for \$1.50; 50 for \$2.50; 100 for \$4.50; 250 for \$9.50; 500 for \$17.50, postpaid.

RED RICH

(B45) The Amazingly Popular Everbearer. Plant Patent 993. Every year, since its introduction, there have not been enough Red Rich to supply the demand. Big, firm, wedge-shaped berries are a deep red to the core, of luscious quality and flavor, and so sweet they take little sugar. Wonderful for eating fresh, as well as for canning and preserves; unsurpassed for freezing, holding their shape and color well. Good keeper, good shipper. Self-pollenizing. The June crop starts later than most other varieties and thus lengthens the June berry crop. Then from August until freezing time, with any kind of favorable weather, you will get a stupendous crop of these large, delicious berries of red strawberry flavor. In the trial gardens of the Iowa State College, Red Rich had a yield of 9,228 quarts per acre. In these garden plants were spaced 12 inches apart each way in triple rows, each set of triple rows separated by a 24-inch path. Chopped corn cobs were used as a summer mulch, and all runners were pinched off at frequent intervals. 12 for \$2.55; 25 for \$5.00; 50 for \$8.50; 100 for \$15.00; 250 for \$22.50, postpaid.

(See Planting Directions for Strawberries on Page 25.)

USE BERRY SET

For Bigger, Finer and More Berries.

New Hormone chemical that works wonders on Strawberries, Raspberries and Blackberries. Fruit develops larger and meatier, and it also encourages bigger crops over a longer season. Just mix powder with water and spray the open blossoms (with any ordinary sprayer). It is perfectly safe to spray the whole plant. 1 oz. package makes 4 gallons.

1 oz. — 50c
3 oz. — \$1.00
postpaid



ARMORE

DUNLAP

ROBINSON

SUPERFECTION

GEM

The New
BLACK

Named for Iowa's
Own Indian Chief



HAWK
RASPBERRY

B1—Iowa's Great New Black Raspberry!

We are proud that another superfine berry has been developed here in Iowa. Black Hawk is a hybrid originated by the late Professor T. J. Maney, then was thoroughly tested and developed by the Horticulture Department of the Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa. Because of its outstanding performance in over 20 years of tests and comparisons with other varieties, the stock has been increased and made available for sale.

Black Hawk outyields all others. In favorable years it has produced 5,000 pints per acre. The vigorous plant develops strong branches when "pinched back", making a large amount of fruiting area per cane and per plant. Berries range from 10 to 20 per cluster, and are borne well out on the surface for ease in picking.

Black Hawk berries are large and delicious. Many of them are $\frac{3}{4}$ inch in diameter, have a shiny black color, with exceptional quality and flavor. Whether used fresh or made into jams, pies or sauces, these big, rich berries will give you the finest in eating enjoyment. In freezing tests, it ranks above all others. The fruit is firm, standing up well under commercial handling and shipping. Best of all the plants are very healthy—the nearest disease-free of any Raspberry.

Select No. 1 Plants

3 for \$1.49; 6 for \$2.70; 12 for \$4.79; 25 for \$9.25;
100 for \$34.50, POSTPAID.

BLACK HAWK
RASPBERRIES

B2—Park Black Raspberry.

Enormous Berries Are Meaty, Juicy, Full of Rich Quality and Flavor, and do not crumble; they have a smooth, handsome appearance. A few years back we had the pleasure of introducing this outstanding Black Raspberry. Originating at Des Moines Iowa, it was brought to our attention by a former Secretary of the Iowa State Horticultural Society. Park plants are hardy and healthy, bearing extra large crops, and are more disease free than most other varieties. This fine Black Cap will surprise and delight you.

Select No. 1 Plants

6 for \$1.45; 12 for \$2.39; 25 for \$4.00; 100 for \$14.50
POSTPAID

B8—Sodus Purple Raspberry.

Rich, Delicious, Reddish-Purple Fruits (a cross between Red and Black Raspberries), and probably the heaviest producer of them all. Berries are large and firm, do not crumble, the flavor is distinctively rich and sweet. Delicious eaten fresh, and makes wonderful sauce and jams. Excellent, too, for freezing. Plants are very hardy, vigorous, and have fewer briars. Sodus plants in your garden will bring you some of the finest fruit you have ever tasted. Plant rather shallow, follow directions for 1-year Black Raspberries on page 25. Pictured in color on page 17.

Select No. 1 Plants

6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.50; 25 for \$4.60; 100 for \$16.00
POSTPAID

B9—Thornless Boysenberry.

Giant Berries of Richest Flavor! The greatest berry ever grown, and now we have it on an improved THORLESS plant. Strong, rambling canes bear immense crops over a 6-8 week period — huge, purple-maroon berries of sweet, delicious goodness and a flavor all its own. Almost seedless, they are wonderful eaten fresh, and make the finest jelly, jam, pies and sauce you have ever tasted. They naturally grow trailing along the ground (keep them trained to rows), or can be tied to wires or fence. Hardy, but in northern sections the canes should be laid down and covered with earth and straw in winter. Plant the same as 1-year Black Raspberries—see page 25. (Color photo on page 17.)

Select No. 1 Plants, NORTHERN GROWN

3 for 95c; 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$2.65; 25 for \$4.85
POSTPAID

B10—Red Lake Currants.

This Is the Finest Red Currant to Date, far surpassing old time sorts. See color photo on page 17. Giant size berries in a giant size bunch, color a brilliant scarlet, with a sweet, rich flavor. The big, strong plant produces with ease the enormous crops; hardy everywhere. Spicy currant jelly is a "must" for the winter store.

Select No. 1 Plants

65c each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$2.95
POSTPAID

B11—PIXWELL GOOSEBERRY

The Leading Variety—bearing large, oval fruit of superior quality, color a light green turning to pink when ripe. The plant has less thorns than others, with the berries hanging well below the branches and are so easy to pick; starts bearing very young. Originating at the North Dakota Experiment Station, Pixwell is thoroughly hardy, developing a large, strong bush that is capable of carrying the immense crop of fruit. Delicious Gooseberry pie and preserves have been favorites since grandmother's time.

Select No. 1 Plants

2 for \$1.76 6 for \$4.85

POSTPAID



B7—New DURHAM
EVERBEARING RED RASPBERRY

This New, Extra Fine, Extra Hardy Everbearer originated at the University of New Hampshire. The plant is hardier and more vigorous than any other berry, grows rapidly, and starts producing RIGHT AWAY! The attractive red fruit is large, firm and highly flavored, the first berries ripening about July 1 and the fall crop in early September in plenty of time for a good full crop. Be sure to include some Durham plants in your raspberry rows and start having berries THIS YEAR — rich, delicious berries for eating fresh, for pies and jams as well as for freezing.

Select No. 1 Plants

3 for \$1.15; 6 for \$2.00; 12 for \$3.65;
25 for \$6.85
POSTPAID



LATHAM
RASPBERRY

NEW!
DUNDEE
RASPBERRY

NEW!
EBONY KING
BLACKBERRY

DUNDEE BLACK RASPBERRY B3

New and already very popular Black Raspberry, particularly notable for its high quality. The berries are large, glossy black, attractive, firm, and full of rich sweet, delicious flavor. They have few seeds, and ripen about five days earlier than Cumberland. The tall, vigorous plants are highly productive, and very disease resistant. Try this new, outstanding Dundee Raspberry for home or market use.

Select No. 1 Tips (1-yr. plants)
6 for \$1.65; 12 for \$2.65;
25 for \$4.75; 100 for \$16.50

POSTPAID

GIANT LATHAM RED RASPBERRY—B6

Most Popular of All Red Raspberries! Big handsome berries of clear red, and full of rich quality and flavor that is hard to beat. Hardy everywhere, and the heaviest producer of all. Fruit is firm, keeps well and ships well. A great berry for the market or home. Our Latham plants are exceptionally fine, northern-grown, and often start bearing the first year.

Select. No. 1 Plants
6 for \$1.55; 12 for \$2.75;
25 for \$5.25; 100 for \$19.00

POSTPAID

EBONY KING BLACKBERRY B4

Wonderful. New Blackberry! Every year it will bear for you tremendous crops of large, shiny black berries of rich, juicy quality and flavor. Ebony King is a bush type Blackberry, very strong, and will carry heavy loads of fruit. Fine for canning, for jams and jelly. Will bear heavily one year after planting. Blackberries are easy to grow, requiring ordinary, well-drained soil. A good straw mulching under the bushes will help to conserve the moisture, and we advise pinching back the canes occasionally.

Select. No. 1 Plants
3 for \$1.10; 6 for \$1.95;
12 for \$3.65; 25 for \$7.35

POSTPAID

FAMILY B5 BERRY GARDEN

- 5 Latham Red Raspberries
- 5 Sodus Purple Raspberries
- 3 Black Hawk Raspberries
- 3 Park Black Raspberries
- 2 Thornless Boysenberries
- 2 Ebony King Blackberries

ALL EXTRA STRONG, NORTHERN-
GROWN PLANTS

These 20 FINEST SMALL FRUITS

Ideal assortment for the small family. Rich delicious fruits over a long period of time.
(Regular price, \$6.07)

FERRIS' NEW LOW-PRICE SPECIAL.....
(POSTPAID)

\$4⁹⁸



RED LAKE
CURRANT
(See page 16)

SODUS
RASPBERRY
(See page 16)

THORNLESS
BOYSENBERRY
(See page 16)



STANLEY PRUNE PLUM

HARDY IOWA APRICOT



BLACK TARTARIAN CHERRY

PLUMS Giant Size Fruits of Superb Flavor.

Some of the Finest, Hardest, Most Popular Plums are offered here. Most of them start bearing the next year after Planting—immense fruits of outstanding quality. Use several varieties in your clump to secure biggest and best crops. Include a Toka as it is an excellent pollinizer.

FERRIS' PRICES ON ALL PLUM TREES (EXCEPT THE NEW LANTZ PLUM)

4-5 Ft. Strong Select Trees

(Grafted on Plum Root, so EXTRA HARDY)

\$1.75 each ★ 2 for \$3.25 ★ 5 for \$7.50

- F36—LaCRESCENT.** Finest yellow plum. Ripens early. The big, tender, sweet fruit makes delicious preserves and pies. A favorite fresh fruit.
- F37—MT. ROYAL.** Beautiful, blue European plum that has been proved hardy enough for northern sections, doing well to Manitoba, Canada. Fruit is large, and especially fine for preserving and jam. Trees are heavy producers and apparently self-fertile.
- F38—PIPESTONE.** Giant size, extra hardy plum from Minnesota. Rich red in color with golden flush; yellow flesh, juicy and of finest quality. One of the finest for canning or eating fresh. Bears young and heavily; ripens in August.
- F39—SUPERIOR.** A plum that should be in every planting. Immense fruit of clear rich red, firm meaty flesh of rich, sweet flavor. Can be peeled as you would a peach. Ripens early in August. One of the finest for home and market. A good pollinizer for other plums.
- F40—STANLEY PRUNE.** This wonderful prune-plum from New York has built up an amazing popularity in a few short years. Beautiful, dark blue, prune-shaped fruit of large size; firm yellow flesh, juicy, sweet, and of superb flavor. Freestone; ripens in September. Hardy up to central Iowa.
- F41—TOKA.** Highly prized for its rich apricot flavor. Large, firm, orange-red fruit; early, heavy bearer. Should be in every planting, not only for its big regular crops of delicious plums, but also for its pollinizing virtue, promoting heavier crops in other varieties.

New - Special!

- F42—LANTZ PLUM.** Very Fine, New, Hardy Plum developed by Prof. H. L. Lantz of the Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa, and named in his honor. A cross of choice Japanese-American varieties, it embraces fine characteristics of both. The very uniform, round fruit averages about 1-1/4 in., and of dark rich blue. The tender, juicy, sweet flesh is amber color, pit small. It is so good to eat out of the hand, and makes wonderful sauce and marmalade. The tree is very hardy; the fruit hangs well, and matures so evenly it can be harvested at practically the same time. You will want the new Lantz Plum in your home orchard or plum clump. 4-5 ft. \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.25.

PEACHES A Real Treat to Pick Fresh from Your Own Trees!

Our Select, Hardy Trees Bear Young and Heavily.

FERRIS' PRICES ON ALL PEACH TREES (EXCEPT THE NEW NORTH-IOWA PEACH)

4-5 Ft. Select, Strong Trees

\$1.50 each ★ 2 for \$2.85 ★ 5 for \$6.60

- F32—ELBERTA.** Midseason. The great canning peach—large yellow fruit, blushed, and of fine flavor. Freestone. Self-pollinating.
- F33—FAIRHAVEN.** New, outstanding, very hardy and early-ripening peach. Large yellow fruit with red blush; flesh yellow, firm and of rich, fine flavor. Freestone; self-pollinating. One of the most productive of all.
- F34—HALE HAVEN.** Wonderful, early, freestone peach, ripening two weeks earlier than Elberta. Large yellow fruit of exceptional quality. Hardy; big cropper. Self-pollinating.
- F35—RED HAVEN.** Splendid, new early peach. Large, fruit, beautiful red in color, with rich yellow flesh, and sweet, delicious quality. Hardy, productive; freestone. Self-pollinating.
- F36—POLLY.** Special! You must have POLLY to have the best, for it has the finest quality and flavor of all peaches. Large size fruit is handsomely blushed with white, firm, juicy flesh of the richest, most luscious flavor. Freestone. Bears young and heavily; withstands cold to 20 degrees below zero. Self-pollinating.

New - Special!

- F37—NORTH-IOWA PEACH.** This Extra Hardy, Fine Peach was found on a farm, here in northern Iowa by our neighbor, Mr. Will Fox of Hampton. From our observation and testing, we believe it will grow and bear farther north than any other peach. Fruit is of medium size, light yellow with faint blush, and of very fine, sweet flavor and quality. It starts bearing when young and is very productive. Self-pollinating. We recommend North-Iowa Peach highly to planters in the colder sections. 4-5 ft. select, \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25.

CHERRIES

Rich, Juicy, Fresh Cherries from Your Own Trees!

A crop every year—all the fruit you need for canning, pies and eating fresh. So easy to grow—all they require is good, well drained soil, planting them at the same depth as in the nursery row. Our Extra Select Cherry Trees Start Bearing When VERY YOUNG.

- F31—BLACK TARTARIAN.** Very large, firm, juicy, purplish-black cherry; sweet, rich flavor. Good pollinizer. All over the country it is the favorite sweet cherry. 4-5 ft. \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.80; 5 for \$8.85.

F33—DWARFCHERRY. We offer this very fine, new Dwarf Cherry on page 20.

- F35—METEOR.** See top of page 19 for description and price of this outstanding, hardy, Semi-Dwarf Cherry.

- F32—MONTMORENCY.** The leading cherry for many years. Beautiful, large, red fruit of finest flavor, ripening 10 days later than early cherries. Unexcelled for canning. A heavy bearer every year; hardy. 4-5 ft. \$1.75 each; 2 for \$3.25; 5 for \$7.50.

(See ORIENT-NANKING Bush Cherry on page 20.)

APRICOTS

Tree-ripened fruits are always richest and best. These two varieties are hardy and easy to grow. The trees make fine ornamentals, with their handsome flowers and dark green, glossy foliage. It is best to use both varieties for cross-pollinating and to insure large crops of fruit.

FERRIS' PRICES ON ALL APRICOT TREES

4-5 Ft. Select, Strong Trees

\$2.00 each ★ 2 for \$3.75

- F38—HARDY IOWA.** This excellent, new, super-hardy Apricot has the unusual record of seldom missing a year to bear fruit. Fruit is medium in size, beautiful golden-orange color, high quality and flavor. Develops a handsome, large tree—a strong, rapid grower.
- F39—SCOUT.** The extra hardy, northern Apricot that originated in Canada. Gold colored fruit, yellow flesh, skin thin and tender—good quality for desserts, preserves or canning. Drought-resisting as well as hardy. Starts to bear when very young.

PEARS

Best, Hardest Varieties for the Home Planting!

They do well in any good growing soil, fruiting more heavily if two or more trees are planted near each other.

FERRIS' PRICES ON ALL PEAR TREES (EXCEPT MAX-RED, NEW EVERBEARING "COLETTE" PEAR AND DWARF PEARS)

4-5 Ft. Extra Select, Strong Trees

\$1.75 each ★ 2 for \$3.25 ★ 5 for \$7.50

- F43—BARTLETT.** Large, yellow fruit of fine sweet flavor. Leading summer pear. Good pollinator for other varieties.
- F44—DOUGLAS.** Fine fall pear that bears heavy crops of large delicious fruit. Starts bearing very young, often the year after planting. Good pollinator.
- F45—KIEFFER.** Popular winter pear. Fruit large and yellow; good keeper. Good pollinator for other varieties.
- F46—PATTON.** Wonderful, hardy pear. Large, greenish yellow fruit blushed—juicy and richly flavored—ripening in August. We strongly recommend Patton.
- F47—MAX-RED, Special (Pat. No. 741).** The New Red Bartlett. Has all the fine qualities of the Bartlett, with the added beautiful red color outside, and is even sweeter (10% more sugar by actual test!) Firm, white, juicy flesh; wonderful for eating fresh or canning. Bears young and heavily. Plant Max-Red Pear for something new and especially good. 4-5 ft. \$2.45, each, 2 for \$4.50.
- F48—"COLETTE".** The Amazing New EVERBEARING PEAR. (Patent No. 1401) Not only is Colette the only Everbearing Pear, but it is conceded to have the richest, most delicious flavor of any pear to date. It blooms at the normal blossoming time, then keeps on blooming and developing new pears on the new growth for most of the summer. In late August the first crop ripens, with the other fruit continuing to ripen through the fall until checked by freezing temperatures. Fruit is medium to large, yellow with pink cheeks, with fine firm flesh entirely free from grit, juicy, and of such rich, aromatic, spicy flavor. For eating fresh or canning, it is superb. 4-5 ft. select, \$3.25 each.

(See DWARF PEARS on page 20.)

F35—METEOR CHERRY

Great — New — Semi-Dwarf

It's really hardy, and will fruit in the coldest sections — beautiful, big cherries of wonderful quality and flavor. Meteor was developed by the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm. Montmorency was crossed with a very hardy Russian strain secured from the Experimental Station at Morden, Canada, resulting in this completely hardy, heavy producing cherry that surpasses all pie cherries to date.

Every year it blooms and bears a full crop. Fruit is extra large, bright red, flesh yellow, and of rich full flavor. Pit is small and very free; ripens about mid-season. Tree is strong and vigorous in growth, with unusually dense luxuriant foliage. Wherever you are located — north, south, east, west — try this elegant new cherry. It is really tops.

New
METEOR
CHERRY

Each 2
3-4 ft., select trees \$2.45 \$4.50

MONTMORENCY
CHERRY

POLLY
PEACH

BARTLETT
PEAR

Mt. Royal
Plum

YAN BUREN
GRAPE
(See page 14)

Toka
Plum

LaCrescent
Plum

Superior
Plum

F60—PLUM CLUMP

- 1 LaCRESCENT
- 1 MT. ROYAL
- 1 SUPERIOR
- 1 TOKA (Good pollinator)

Four Mighty Fine **\$5⁸⁹**
Plums, only

(By Express)

FAMILY FRUIT-TREE OFFER (F49)

1 JONADEL APPLE
1 Polly Peach
1 Bartlett Pear
1 Stanley Plum
1 Montmorency Cherry
Five Favorite Fruits—Great produc-
ers everywhere.

Quick to bear.

Only

(By Express)

\$7⁵⁰

New, Wonderful
JONADEL APPLE
(See page 21)

DWARF APPLE TREES

(F27) Ideal for Small Places—Bear Younger than Standard Trees

Dwarf Apple trees are in great demand for the planter with little room. Standard varieties are budded on a special root stock, developing trees that will grow to about 8 to 12 feet at maturity, but they produce the same LARGE SIZE FRUIT as the standard trees. These small trees, not much larger than a big shrub are very attractive in bloom, and the fruit is so easy to pick. They often start bearing the second year after planting. Plant 15 feet apart; use two or more varieties for proper pollination, to secure best fruiting results. Ferris Dwarf Apple trees can be furnished in the following popular varieties.

- (A) BEACON. Finest, new, all-red summer apple.
- (B) BRIGHT RED DELICIOUS. Most popular winter apple.
- (C) RED MCINTOSH. Very fine late fall apple, white fleshed.
- (D) DARK RED JONATHAN. The great red winter favorite.
- (E) WEALTHY. Finest early fall apple.

Extra Select, 3 1/2 ft. Trees

\$3.45 each ★ 2 for \$6.50 ★ 5 for \$15.00

F28—DWARF DELCON. Splendid new variety originated by the Missouri State Experiment Station. Its parentage is Ben Davis, Jonathan and Delicious. This is a true dwarf tree, without multigrafting. The drooping branches produce unusually heavy crops of fine tasting apples, combining the Delicious and Jonathan flavors — ripening about 10 days earlier than Delicious. Dwarf Delcon Prices, extra select, 4-6 ft. trees, \$2.25 each; 2 for \$4.15.



DWARF APPLE TREES BEAR YOUNG!
LARGE FRUIT — EASY TO PICK

DWARF PEAR TREES

Now we have Dwarf Pear that you have been asking for—a fine addition to the small place or garden. Use as lawn specimens or in the shrub border. QUICK BEARING, they often have fruit the second year after planting—the same big luscious fruits that are produced on the standard trees. At maturity they grow 12 to 15 feet tall. We offer Dwarf Pear in two famous varieties.

F50—DWARF BARTLETT. Favorite summer pear.

F51—DWARF DUCHESS. Early fall pear of giant size, tender, juicy. A good pollinizer.

3-4 ft. Select Trees—\$2.85 each; 2 for \$5.50

F33—DWARFRICH CHERRY

Outstanding new Dwarf Cherry, developed by the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture Field Station at Cheyenne, Wyoming. It makes a very bushy dwarf tree, under 6 ft. tall, nearly as wide as it is tall. Tree is a beautiful solid mass of white blossoms in spring, followed by the medium size fruit, bright red, and of extra fine flavor. Far superior to the ordinary Bush Cherry. An ideal Cherry tree for the small backyard, and is excellent as a fruiting shrub or specimen in connection with landscape planting.

2-3 ft., Select. \$2.35 each; 2 for \$4.35.

F34—ORIENT-NANKING CHERRY

(Improved Bush Cherry)

Wonderful new fruit developed under the direction of Dr. Alderman at the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm. The shapely bush, often growing 6 to 8 ft. tall, has a wealth of white flowers in the spring, followed by great quantities of delicious red berries of real cherry flavor, and almost as large as Montmorency. Fine for eating fresh, and makes elegant pies, jam and sauce. Hardy everywhere, self-fertile, quick to bear often starting the second year.

It is a splendid landscape shrub; a row of them will make a fine looking screen or background, while a clump will add charm to an odd corner. Or plant them in garden or orchard, where they will be neat, trim and so fruitful.

18-24 in., transplants, \$1.65 each; 2 for \$3.00; 5 for \$6.25.

BLIZZARD BELT

5-in-1

APPLE TREES

Delicious Fruits for ALL SEASONS
on ONE TREE

Our famous "Made-to-Order" Tree, so fine for the planter with little space—one tree producing leading varieties for each season, from early summer and lasting well into winter. Best of all, it is top-worked on quick bearing BLIZZARD BELT stock — Virginia Crab. This means that five different varieties of apples (Yellow Transparent, Wealthy, Red Delicious, Red Jonathan and Crimson Winter) are all budded on one of the hardest trees available. Truth is, you get Six Varieties in all.

A fine looking tree for your lawn, and when it bears you have a miniature Apple Orchard.

F26—4-6 Ft. Extra Select, SUPER-HARDY Trees, with Sturdy Growth on Each Variety:

\$3.50 each

2
for
\$6.50



BEACON



WEALTHY



RED
DUCHESS



New, Tasty CHESTNUT CRAB

APPLE TREES

Rich, Tempting Fruits for Every Season— **\$140 each ★ 2 for \$268**

for Every Location

4-6 Ft., Extra Heavy

Quick Bearing, Extra Hardy,

Northern-Grown Trees

5 for \$6.45 ★ 10 for \$12.00

(Prices Above for All Ferris' Apple and Crab Trees, Except the New JONADEL Apple, Dwarf Apple, Five-in-One Apple, and Bargains.)

Summer Apples

***F1—ANOCA.** Fine, extra hardy apple that often starts bearing the NEXT YEAR AFTER PLANTING. Fresh apple pie in two years time! Large fruit, striped red; good flavor.

***F2—BEACON.** Finest, new, all-red summer apple, and hardy even in the far north. Fruit good size, fiery red, with outstanding quality and flavor. Ripens a trifle later than Duchess and keeps better.

F3—LODI. (Improved Yellow Transparent.) Favorite early yellow apple; excellent for eating or cooking. Abundant bearer, fruit medium large, golden, juicy, tender and sweet. Good pollinizer for other varieties.

***F4—RED DUCHESS.** Top of the list for summer cooking apples. Fruit large, good flavor; hardy everywhere. This is the improved, solid-red strain of the popular Duchess.

***F5—ORIOLE.** New and Extra Fine! It ripens early—late July and August—and the large fruit is very juicy and of finest quality. Wonderful for eating fresh and makes delicious pies. Very hardy.

Fall Apples

F6—FAMEUSE (Snow Apple). Crimson striped fruit with pure white flesh; juicy and sprightly. Extra fine eating apple, October.

F7—RED MCINTOSH. Beautiful red apple with snow-white flesh, juicy, rich flavor, very high quality—line for eating and cooking. Bears heavily; hardy.

***F8—WEALTHY.** The grand fall apple that does well everywhere. Large size fruit striped red, tender, juicy excellent quality. Bears young and heavily.

Crab Apples

***F9—CHESTNUT.** A new Crab that is outstanding. The bronze-red fruit is nearly as large as an apple, with crisp, juicy flesh and zangy flavor that make it mighty good eating. Also makes fine pickles and sauce. It is completely hardy, and keeps longer than any other Crab.

***F10—DOLGO.** Finest of all small Crabs. Dolgo is hardy everywhere, often bearing the second year. The big clusters of rich red fruit are beautiful on the tree, and make wonderful, highly colored jelly and jam. In the spring the shapely tree is a mass of snow-white flowers, and is very ornamental on the lawn.

***F11—WHITNEY.** A favorite for many years. Red striped fruit of excellent flavor, not tart. Makes delicious pickles and butter. Bears young and heavily.

***NOTE—** Varieties marked with the asterisk (*) are the northern, all-hardy types that will grow and fruit well all through northern sections where some of the more tender apples are disappointing. Most of them were developed by the Fruit Breeding Farms of Iowa and Minnesota. (See Planting Directions for Fruit Trees on page 22.)

F12—"NORTH STAR"

APPLE OFFER

- 1 Beacon
- 1 Wealthy
- 1 Redwell
- 1 Fireside
- 1 Min-Jon
- 1 Sharon
- 1 Chestnut Crab

4-6 ft., Select, Heavy, Quick Fruiting

7 SPLENDID APPLES

Outstanding selection of FULLY-HARDY varieties for Northern Planters. Fruit of exceptional quality and for every season. (Well worth \$10.00)

\$798

FERRIS' SPECIAL (By Express)

(F25) JONADEL (Pictured on page 19)

NEW, HANDSOME RED APPLE FROM IOWA STATE COLLEGE

Another wonderful, hardy fruit developed by the Iowa State College of Ames, Iowa, and introduced by leading Iowa Nurserymen for the first time this year! Jonadel is a Jonathan-Delicious cross, developing delicious apples 2½ to 3 inches larger than Jonathan, smooth, roundish-conic, even and symmetrical, beautifully colored cherry red to dark red. Flesh is firm, crisp, very juicy, rich, mild sub-acid, combining the two wonderful flavors and eating qualities of Jonathan and Delicious. It is an excellent keeper in storage, does not get mealy or shrivel. Best of all the tree is very BLIGHT RESISTANT! We heartily recommend Jonadel for your back yard or orchard if you are looking for an apple that is truly super-fine.

JONADEL PRICES—Select, 4-6 ft. trees, \$2.10 each; 3 for \$6.00.

Winter Apples

***F14—CORTLAND.** Handsome, large, bright red apple; crisp, tender, pure white flesh, and rich flavor. Fine for eating and cooking; a good pollinizer. One of the hardiest and best apples of the century.

F15—BRIGHT RED DELICIOUS. Delicious in every sense of the word. Large fruit, solid red color, and of superb quality and flavor. Hardy, heavy bearer. This improved strain, with rich ALL-RED color, bears earlier and keeps longer than the original.

F16—YELLOW DELICIOUS. Handsome golden fruit of immense size, flesh firm, juicy, crisp, and of a most delicious sweet-tart combination. Young bearer, splendid keeper. Good pollinizer for other varieties. The supreme yellow winter apple.

***F17—FIRESIDE.** The "Super Delicious" developed by the State Fruit Breeding Farm of Minnesota. It grows and fruits well in northern sections where the regular Delicious will not thrive. Splendid dessert apple, of higher quality even than Delicious, and keeps all winter. Large fruit, bright red over greenish yellow ground; crisp juicy flesh, flavor very rich. Good annual bearer.

***F18—NORTHWESTERN GREENING.** A long time favorite, and very hardy. Fruit extra large, greenish yellow, firm and fine grained; excellent flavor, fine for cooking. Good keeper. Early and heavy bearer.

F19—SOLID RED JONATHAN. Grand apple, and probably the most widely planted of them all. Large fruit, with crisp, juicy flesh, and the best flavor and quality to be had. This improved SOLID RED STRAIN starts to color earlier than the old type—a rich, dark crimson.

***F20—MIN-JON.** The new "Minnesota Jonathan" originated by the Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm. It produces beautiful, bronzed apples way up to the Canadian line. Dark shiny red all over, with yellow, crisp flesh—so good to eat, fresh or cooked. Heavy bearer; fine for home and market.

***F21—REDWELL.** Beautiful new apple of extreme hardness. Large, uniform fruit, bright red all over, and with a wonderfully fine flavor. Bears every year. A splendid apple for the home or commercial orchard.

***F22—SECOR.** Very fine, all-hardy apple, originating at the Iowa Experiment Station. Large, light cherry-red fruit, juicy and sweet, with even better flavor and quality than the Jonathan. Superline for eating and cooking.

***F23—SHARON.** Another excellent apple of Iowa origin. It is entirely hardy, and one of the most popular with our northern customers. Large, uniform fruit, yellow striped red; quality and flavor outstanding. Young, heavy bearer.

F24—CRIMSON WINESAP. It is a winter treat to bite into a Winesap—juicy, spicy, rich flavor. These large red apples keep all winter. Heavy producer.

F30

WINTER APPLE BARGAIN

- 1 Cortland
- 1 Bright Red Delicious
- 1 Yellow Delicious
- 1 Secor
- 1 Solid Red Jonathan
- 1 Crimson Winesap

4-6 ft., Select, Heavy, Quick Fruiting

8 GREAT WINTER APPLES

Favorites Everywhere! For the backyard, orchard or commercial planting, they are without equal. (Worth all of \$3.00)

\$698

FERRIS' SPECIAL (By Express)

REDWELL

MIN-JON

FIRESIDE

BRIGHT RED DELICIOUS

HARDY SHADE TREES

Control the Summer Heat Around Your Home,
and Provide Beautiful Coloring for Your Landscape.



MOUNTAIN ASH
and Berries



HACKBERRY



GREEN ASH

T1—MOUNTAIN ASH (*Sorbus aucuparia*). The Tree with the Red Berries. It is a beautiful lawn tree with dark green, fern-like foliage, light smooth bark, developing a broad compact head. Creamy white blossoms in the spring are followed by showy clusters of scarlet berries in late summer and fall. Hardy, grows rapidly, but needs plenty of moisture in hot, dry periods. 30-40 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2
(a) 6-8 ft., heavy	\$4.50	\$ 8.40
(b) 8-10 ft., heavy	5.50	10.00

T2—GREEN ASH (*Fraxinus viridis*). Very hardy, very rugged and easily transplanted tree—splendid for street and lawn planting. It is rapid in growth and of open habit, permitting good sod underneath the branches. Fine timber variety of medium hardwood, and one of the best for Dakota and other dry sections. 30-50 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2
(b) 6-8 ft.	\$5.50	\$15.00
(c) 8-10 ft.	4.00	7.50

T3—CHINESE ELM (*Ulmus pumila*). Graceful, beautiful, hardy, quick-growing; a tree that has gained wide popularity all over the country. Slender twigs and branches grow compactly into a shapely top, and are covered with small dark green leaves. It often grows 5 to 8 feet in a single year, leading out early in the spring and shedding its foliage late in the fall. Planted in all sections. It has withstood excessive heat, drought and bitter cold. We offer the Siberian or North China strain—hardest and most rapid growing type. 40-50 ft. at maturity.

	Each	3
(a) 6-8 ft.	\$2.00	\$5.00
(b) 8-10 ft.	4.00	7.50

T4—AMERICAN ELM (*Ulmus americana*). Our Country's Grandest Tree. The noble, spreading, giant Elm—a great favorite everywhere. Its immense head furnishes wonderful shade; leaves large and bright green. Majestic, hardy, long-lived—it is the ideal lawn or park tree. 60-80 ft. at maturity.

6-8 ft., heavy	Each	2
	\$3.00	\$5.00

T5—MOLINE ELM (*Ulmus americana* Moine). A remarkably fine tree for street and lawn planting, developing a handsome vase form. Foliage thick, large and deep green. 60-80 ft. at maturity. We recommend it highly.

8-10 ft., heavy, select	Each	2
	\$6.50	\$12.00

T6—HACKBERRY (*Celtis occidentalis*). The "storm-proof" tree, very fine and valuable for street or lawn planting. It grows tall and broad, with numerous branches spreading horizontally that are seldom broken by winds. Rough bark, long pointed leaves of bright shiny green. Completely hardy; rapid growing. 30-75 ft. at maturity.

6-8 ft., heavy	Each	2
	\$5.00	\$9.40

T7—MORaine LOCUST (*Gleditsia triacanthos inermis* "Morgue"). New, Beautiful, Vase-Shaped Locust, Thornless and Seedless! The rounded head of its early years soon develops a wide, graceful vase form, much in the manner of a stately old Elm. Foliage finely cut and bronzed allows excellent sod around the tree. Very hardy, long-lived and extremely rapid in growth; hard wooded, there is no damage from wind or snow. A great tree to frame the house or to line the avenue. Because of its very rapid growth, this tree should be staked and tied for the first year or two after planting. (Plant Patent No. 836.)

5-6 ft., whips	Each	2
	\$5.95	\$11.00

T8—AMERICAN SYCAMORE (*Platanus occidentalis*). A splendid, hardy street and lawn tree, developing a lofty, wide spreading, symmetrical top. Large, bright green leaves, bark light gray-green and somewhat mottled. Likes deep rich soil and plenty of moisture. Trim quite severely when planting.

6-8 ft.	Each	2
	\$4.00	\$7.40

T9—HARD (SUGAR) MAPLE (*Acer saccharum*). Beautiful and well known Sugar or Rock Hard Maple; a tree of grand form, with large foliage of rich green that turns in autumn to brilliant orange and red shades. Great favorite everywhere; perfectly hardy. 40-60 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2
(a) 9-10 ft., heavy, branched	\$7.50	\$14.00
(b) 10-12 ft., heavy, select	8.55	17.00

T10—COLUMN NORWAY MAPLE (*Acer platanoides* columnaris). New and Selected Type of Norway Maple, with unusually refined habit and narrow pyramid form. Having all of the good growing and developing qualities of the Norway Maple, it is a grand tree all over the country. This compact, columnar tree is wonderful for parkings, for the smaller grounds and ranch type home, and to use for ornamental background or screen. 50-60 ft. at maturity.

5-6 ft.	Each	2
	\$4.00	\$7.50

T11—AMERICAN LINDEN (*Tilia americana*). Excellent lawn tree with round compact top, a heavy covering of large glossy leaves that give dense shade, and fragrant yellow flowers followed by winged fruit. Good bee pasturage. The Linden is a very hardy, vigorous and rapid grower. 50-80 ft. at maturity.

5-6 ft.	Each	2
	\$3.50	\$6.50

T12—PYRAMIDAL LINDEN (*Tilia americana pyramidalis*). New, Very Fine Linden of Narrow, Pyramid Form—offered exclusively by us. It is ideally suited to a narrow lot or parking, and lends a certain distinctive accent to the modern, low style dwelling. It will make a wonderful, long-lived screen or background, and has the same sterling qualities and characteristics of its parent, the American Linden.

5-6 ft.	Each	2
	\$5.00	\$9.00

FLOWERING AND ORNAMENTAL TREES are offered on pages 46 and 47, NUT TREES on page 24.



CHINESE ELM



New MORaine LOCUST



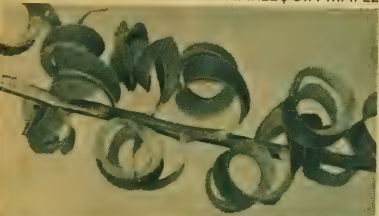
New PYRAMIDAL LINDEN



NORWAY MAPLE



HARLEQUIN MAPLE



RAM'S HORN WEEPING WILLOW



WEeping WILLOW

T14—NORWAY MAPLE (*Acer platanoides*). *Fine Hard Maple*, medium rapid in growth, and one of the most loved trees in America. Almost from the start it develops a symmetrical rounded top densely covered with beautiful dark green foliage, turning to yellow and orange in late fall. It is long-lived and hardy, withstanding well city conditions; a great tree for street and lawn planting. 50-70 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	6
(a) 5-6 ft., select, straight whips	\$2.60	\$ 4.75	\$12.00
(b) 8-10 ft., branched	6.50	12.00	

T15—New RAPID-GROW NORWAY MAPLE. Fine new strain of Norway Maple, budded especially for us. It has beautiful, dense, dark green foliage, rounded head and complete hardiness, the same as the regular Norway Maple, but grows MUCH FASTER. Splendid home and street tree. 50-70 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	6
(a) 6-7 ft., select, straight whips	\$3.65	\$ 6.75	\$19.00
(b) 8-10 ft., branched	7.50	14.00	

T16—SCHWEDLER'S MAPLE (*Acer platanoides schwedleri*). *The Beautiful Red-Leaved Maple*. In the spring it opens up with brilliant purplish-red leaves, gradually softening to bronze, then a little later to deep waxen green. Very hardy, developing the same rounded symmetrical head of its parent, the Norway Maple. We recommend this as one of America's finest and most enduring lawn and street trees. 40-50 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	6
(a) 6-7 ft., select, straight whips	\$3.75	\$ 6.95	\$19.50
(b) 7-8 ft., branched	5.85	11.00	

T17—HARLEQUIN MAPLE (*Acer platanoides drummondii*). *The Variegated-Leaved Norway Maple*. Center of the leaf is green, outside white or nearly white. The tree grows rounded and compact, and with the full covering of two-toned leaves is particularly ornamental. If you are looking for something new and especially fine, we recommend this lovely, hardy Harlequin Maple. 40-50 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	6
5-6 ft., select, straight whips	\$4.85	\$8.90	

T18—CRIMSON KING MAPLE (*Acer platanoides schwedleri nigra*). *See Picture of this Showy Beauty on page 46.* Originating in Europe, this new perfected form of Schwedler's Maple develops the rounded, compact head of unusual symmetry, but differs in having foliage of deep, purple-crimson all through the growing months. Hardy, easy to grow, but likes plenty of water. Enjoy its colorful, striking beauty on your lawn! (Plant Patent No. 785.) 40-50 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	6
(a) 6-7 ft., select, straight whips	\$6.75	\$12.75	
(b) 7-8 ft., branched	9.50	18.40	

T19—PIN OAK (*Quercus palustris*). A noble tree, and one of the most valuable of all Oaks for general planting. Develops a handsome, tall, branching pyramid, with slightly drooping effect as it matures. Beautifully carved foliage of deep waxen green assumes rich orange and red colorings in the fall. Extremely long-lived and hardy. 50-60 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	6
4-5 ft.	\$3.85	\$7.00	

T20—RED OAK (*Quercus rubra*). Magnificent native tree of large size and rapid growth. Its deeply cut foliage is bright waxen green, turning in the fall to brilliant purplish red. Very sturdy, long-lived, beautiful—a wonderful tree for lawn and avenue planting—and one of the finest of all Oaks. 60-80 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	6
(a) 5-6 ft., whips	\$3.50	\$ 6.40	
(b) 6-8 ft., heavy	7.50	14.00	

T21—RAM'S HORN WEEPING WILLOW (*Salix babylonica crispata*). For something Different, Unique and Charming, plant one of these new, delightful Curly-leaved Willow trees. In addition to the graceful droop of other Weeping Willows, it has the distinctive feature of tightly curled leaves that look so much like miniature ram's horns. A hardy, charming specimen for the lawn, to plant near a pool, or for backgrounds. It grows more slowly than other Weeping Willows, and will probably mature at around 25 ft.

	Each	2	6
6-8 ft.	\$3.50	\$6.40	

T22—NIOBE WEEPING WILLOW (*Salix babylonica aurea*). Handsome weeping tree, with golden yellow bark, and narrow green leaves with silver facing, giving it a pronounced lacy effect. Exceptionally strong, hardy, graceful tree. 30-40 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	6
8-10 ft.	\$3.50	\$6.25	

T23—WISCONSIN WEEPING WILLOW (*Salix blanda dolorosa*). This very popular, green barked type grows broad and spreading, with a beautiful drooping manner that is particularly attractive in the background or close to pools. Hardy. 40-50 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	6
(b) 6-8 ft.	\$3.00	\$5.25	

T24—LOMBARDY POPLAR (*Populus nigra italica*). Tall, slim pyramid, branching from the ground—the most formal, striking tree for the background. Splendid for quick screens and backgrounds. Its narrow column form enhances the rounded beauty of other trees and shrubs. 40-50 ft. at maturity. Plant 6 to 8 feet apart.

	Each	2	6
(c) 6-8 ft., heavy	\$1.75	\$3.20	\$ 9.00
(d) 8-10 ft., heavy	2.25	4.00	11.10

T25—BOLLEANA POPLAR (*Populus alba bolleana*). *Silver-Leaved*. Beautiful landscape tree, having the same formal column shape of the Lombardy Poplar, though harder and longer lived. Very attractive, olive-green bark. Deeply lobed leaves have a white facing, giving a delightful silver-flash effect in the breeze. 40-60 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	6	12
(a) 5-6 ft.	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$12.00	\$20.40
(b) 8-10 ft., heavy	4.50	8.00	21.00	36.00



SCHWEDLER'S MAPLE



PIN OAK



BOLLEANA POPLAR

Quick Screens -- Windbreaks

TARTARIAN HONEYSUCKLE

H10—TARTARIAN HONEYSUCKLE

(*Lonicera tatarica*). Excellent and Very Popular Flowering Screen. Beautiful, vigorous, fast growing, and hardy everywhere. Shuts off those undesirable views in no time. Plant 2 ft. apart. Attractive red berries follow the May-June flowers. Grows 10-15 ft. tall, but can be kept trimmed to smaller sizes. See special Zabel type on page 39.

	10	25	50	100
(a) 9-12 in., sturdy hedging	\$3.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 9.00	\$17.50
(b) 18-24 in., select transplants	4.50	6.75	15.00	26.50

T26—RUSSIAN OLIVE. (*Elaeagnus angustifolia*).

Shrub or small tree with silvery grey foliage develops on unusually attractive screen or background. Also used to good advantage in ornamental clumps, or as specimens to accent shrubby groups. Small, yellow, fragrant flowers in June are followed by ornamental fruit. Very hardy. For close screen or background planting, set 4 ft. apart and start clipping when small.

	10	25	50	100
18-24 in., seedlings	\$2.00	\$4.00	\$7.00	\$13.50

T55—NORWAY POPLAR. Improved type of growing tall and spreading, with large glossy leaves. Extremely hardy and rapid in growth, it often gives protection the second year after planting. An outstanding tree for quick shelterbelts and woodlots. 7½-100 ft. at maturity.

	10	25	50	100
(a) 3-5 ft., windbreak trees	\$3.30	\$ 6.50	\$10.50	\$19.50
(b) 5-7 ft., windbreak trees	5.50	11.25	20.00	36.50

H7—ROSA MULTIFLORA

The excellent Living Fence for large properties. See description and price on page 39.



T49—THOMAS BLACK WALNUT

(*Juglans nigra* Thomas hybrid). The greatest nut tree of the century. This is the famous grafted hybrid—a hardy, fast growing tree that produces in quick time extra large, thin shelled nuts. The large meats of rich, delicious flavor come out in halves and quarters, and are of high market value. The tree often starts bearing the second year, and at maturity will produce 20 to 40 bushels of nuts in a season.

	Each	2
3-4 ft.	\$3.50	\$6.50



THOMAS BLACK WALNUT

Just What You Need for Quick Shelter—
So Valuable for Woodlots and Erosion Control

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF
OUR SPECIAL LOW PRICES

T28—RUSSIAN GOLDEN WILLOW

(*Salix vitellina* aurea). Very rapid growing Willow with attractive yellow bark. In mass plantings they are especially decorative, even in winter. They make fine, quick windbreaks, are very useful for waterside planting, and are entirely hardy.

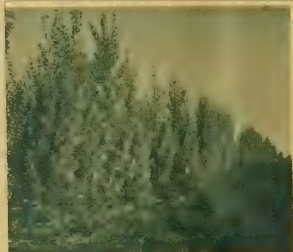
	10	25	50	100
3-5 ft., heavy	\$3.30	\$6.50	\$10.50	\$19.50

T2—GREEN ASH. One of the finest timber trees. Medium hardwood species, rapid in growth, very hardy, doing well even in the more arid sections of Dakota. Excellent for street and park planting also, and we offer Shade Tree sizes on page 22.

	10	25	50	100
(a) 18-24 in., seedlings	\$2.50	\$5.00	\$8.00	\$16.50

T24—LOMBARDY POPLAR. Exceedingly popular for quick backgrounds and screens, producing very picturesque skyline effects. Easily recognized by its slim form; hardy, very fast growing. Plant 6-8 ft. apart in screen planting. (For Choice Specimens, see page 23.)

	10	25	50	100
(a) 3-5 ft., windbreak trees	\$3.30	\$ 6.50	\$10.50	\$19.50
(b) 5-7 ft., windbreak trees	5.50	11.25	20.00	36.50



LOMBARDY POPLAR



CHINESE ELM—
Makes windbreak, shade or hedge.
(Courtesy of Capper Publications)

WISCONSIN WEEPING WILLOW

T23—WISCONSIN WEEPING WILLOW

Developing a broad weeping head, and of compact character, this makes an extremely fine background or screen, as shown in the picture above. A planting of Weeping Willow along a stream is particularly beautiful and desirable. (Trees for lawn planting are offered on page 23.)

	10	25	50	100
(a) 3-5 ft., windbreak trees	\$3.30	\$6.50	\$10.50	\$19.50

T27—LAUREL-LEAF WILLOW. (*Salix pentandra*). Shrubby in habit, with chestnut-brown bark and deep shiny green foliage. Fast growing; good for screens and backgrounds as well as wash banks. 20 to 30 feet at maturity.

	10	25	50	100
3-5 ft., heavy	\$3.30	\$6.50	\$10.50	\$19.50

T3—CHINESE ELM. Fast growing and hardy, it has become extremely popular all over the country. It grows with remarkable success in every section. Very thick and compact, branching from the ground, it furnishes protection against winter storms and snows as well as dust storms. Beautiful and graceful, the Chinese Elm makes the whole landscape more lively. Plant in double or triple rows 10 to 12 feet apart, and 3 or 4 feet apart in the row. Ferris Chinese Elm are grown in the North and from northern seed. Plant your windbreak or screen this spring—take advantage of these fine values. (Special Shade Tree sizes are offered on page 22.)

	25	50	100	200
(a) 12-18 in., seedlings	\$1.50	\$ 2.50	\$ 3.98	\$ 7.00
(b) 18-24 in., seedlings	2.00	3.50	6.00	10.75
(c) 3-4 ft., select seedlings	5.00	9.00	17.50	33.00
(d) 4-6 ft., select seedlings	7.50	13.50	22.50	42.50

Nut Trees

Rich Fruits—Beautiful Trees for
the Lawn—Valuable for Lumber

T47—HAZELNUT—Filbert

(*Corylus americana*). Very hardy shrub that every year produces an abundant crop of roundish nuts of wonderful flavor. Does best in rather moist soil. Develops a well-branched shrub, 5-6 ft. tall and in the fall has beautiful scarlet and bronze foliage.

	Each	2	6
2-3 ft., transplanted	\$1.65	\$2.85	\$7.85

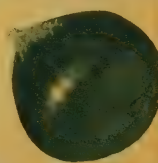
T48—CHINESE CHESTNUT

(*Castanea eleocharis dulcis*). **Blight Resistant Early Bearer.** Beautiful ornamental tree that will bear big, sweet, tasty chestnuts the second or third year after planting. Does well in almost any good soil, and is hardy wherever the native chestnut grows. We advise planting in pairs for cross-pollination. Grow this delicious food delicacy in your own back yard.

	Each	2	6
2-3 ft., branched	\$1.85	\$3.50	\$9.00



HAZELNUT



CHINESE CHESTNUT

SPACING SHRUBS



PLANT THREE OR MORE OF A KIND TOGETHER.

PLANTING DIRECTIONS



PLANTING DIRECTIONS FOR SHRUBS

Any good growing soil is excellent. Spade deeply and work down well, as you would for a garden crop. Keep shrubs 20 to 25 inches away from the foundation. Set deeply and firmly, the larger growing types 24 to 36 inches apart, with dwarf varieties 12 to 18 inches apart. Trim back the tops to insure quicker, better growth, then keep them cultivated the first year or two, watering them in the evening during dry spells. After the first year they will require little care other than any annual pruning you may wish to give them. Each year's growth will add to the charm of your planting, and to the size and quantity of the blooms.

For Raspberries

Plant in good growing soil, and for distance apart to plant see table below. In planting **Black Raspberry** tips (1-yr. plants), set them so tip (bud in center of mass of roots) is covered no more than one inch deep, using care not to break this tip. Too deep planting will smother tip. Tamp soil firmly around the roots. **Red Raspberries** should be planted 1 to 2 inches deeper than they were in the nursery. Cut back all raspberries as soon as planted to within 6 inches of the ground. Use shallow cultivation, then early in June mulch heavily with straw or grass clippings. The wood which fruited this year should be cut out after the last picking and burned, leaving a few vigorous new canes to grow for fruiting the following year. Trim back the ends of the canes about one-third early in the spring of each year, and spray just before new growth starts with lime sulphur or Bordeaux mixture.

For Strawberries

Plant strawberries in good rich, well-drained soil the crown of the plant when set should be at the surface of the ground (too deep planting will smother). Tamp the earth firmly around the roots, leaving a thin layer of loose soil at the top of the ground to prevent baking. Remove all young leaves. It will pay to water each plant thoroughly after planting. For distance to set plants, see table below. It will take about 8,000 spring bearing plants to the acre or 10,000 everbearing plants. Keep ground clean and well cultivated. It is best to keep blossoms and runners on the everbearing varieties pinched off until the middle of July. In late fall when the ground is frozen down an inch or two, cover with clean straw, leaves or shredded cornstalks, and do not uncover too early in the spring.

For Grapes

CARE AND PRUNING

Plant grapes deeply and firmly in good, rich soil about 6 to 8 ft. apart. Annual and careful pruning is essential to the production of good grapes, this pruning to be done between November and March while the vines are entirely dormant. In training to wires, the first wire should be about 3 ft. from the ground, the second 5 ft. from the ground, with two branches growing out from the central stock on both wires, one in each direction.

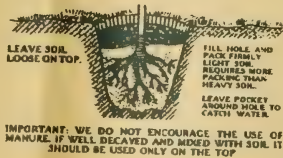
SET TREE IN TUB OF WATER WHILE DIGGING HOLE.



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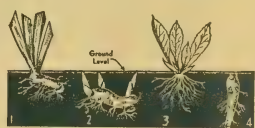


PLANTING HEDGES

Dig one side of the trench straight and plant against it to get a straight hedge.

Dig trench twelve inches deep or more, to receive the roots without crowding, and set the plants deep enough so that the lower branches will be slightly covered with the earth when filled in. Pack good garden soil firmly around the roots, leaving a thin layer of loose earth at the surface to prevent baking. Prune tops severely to insure compact and even growth.

How to Grow Perennials



Plant in good, rich, well drained ground that has been prepared the same as you would for any garden crop. The drawing above shows the proper depth for the various types of perennials. No. 1, such as the Iris, should be planted with the main root just below the surface of the ground. No. 2, such as the Peonies, should be planted with the eyes or buds not more than 2 inches below the surface. No. 3, the fibrous-rooted type, should be planted with the crown just even with the ground level, not below. No. 4, such as the Hollyhock, Lupine and Hibiscus, should be planted with the bud just below the surface, and the root tuber extending straight down. Set the low and medium growing perennials 8 to 12 inches apart, the taller ones 18 to 24 inches apart. The more shallow cultivation you give them with the hoe, the better they will be, and the more attractive your garden. During dry periods they should be given plenty of moisture, especially until well established. A light covering of straw, leaves or other coarse litter placed over the bed in late fall when the ground is frozen 2 inches down, will insure safety, and do not uncover too early in the spring.

Heeling-In Trees and Shrubs

Temporary Planting

It is always best to plant at once if possible. If, however, weather or other conditions prevent, then shade trees, fruit trees, shrubs, roses and berry plants (except strawberries) should be "heeled-in". Dig trench wide and deep enough to hold the roots without crowding, lifting the earth from the trench to form a bank. Place the roots in the bottom of the trench, packing pulverized moist soil firmly around them, heaping more soil on the roots and a portion of the tops. If the ground is dry, moisten the dirt about the roots. Plant in their permanent locations as soon as you can.

PLANTING DIRECTIONS FOR FRUIT TREES AND SHADE TREES

See handy Table showing distance apart to plant fruit trees. In setting your trees, follow closely the drawings on this page, being careful to set deeply and firmly in good soil, then prune the top back severely. The ideal place for small fruits such as raspberries, is between the rows of fruit trees; they will then both get the shallow cultivation that means best success.

To produce healthy, well developed fruit, you should spray your trees with our **General Purpose Home Orchard Spray**. We offer this fine new Spray on page 53. You will find fruit trees easy of culture; they will do well on almost any well-drained soil.

"How Far Apart Shall I Plant?"

The correct distance apart to plant is often a problem to planters. There are no set rules for this, but with our years of experience in planting and growing, we are glad to suggest advisable distances to our customers, which will work very satisfactorily in every way.

Apple Trees	25 to 40 ft. apart
Cherry Trees	15 to 18 ft. apart
Plum Trees	12 to 15 ft. apart
Pear Trees	15 to 18 ft. apart

Peach Trees	16 to 18 ft. apart
Grapes	6 to 8 ft. apart
Currents and Gooseberries	3 to 4 ft. apart
Raspberries	4 by 6 ft. apart
Blackberries	3 by 5 ft. apart
Spring-Bearing Strawberries (Field)	1½ by 3½ ft. apart
Everbearing Strawberries (Field)	1 by 3½ ft. apart
Strawberries (Garden)	1½ by 1½ ft. apart
Asparagus (In Beds)	1 by 1½ ft. apart
Asparagus (In Field)	1 by 3 ft. apart
Boysenberries	4 by 6 ft. apart
Blueberries	4 by 6 ft. apart

How to Determine the Number of Trees or Plants to an Acre

Multiply the distance in feet between the rows by the distance the trees or plants are apart in the row, and the product will give the number of square feet that each tree or plant will occupy; then divide the number into the number of square feet in an acre (43,560), and it will give you the number of trees or plants to the acre.

Norway Spruce in Our Fields

White Pine Screen

WINDBREAKS

E52 - White Pine (Pinus strobus)

Most Beautiful Windbreak Pine. Noted for its long, soft, light silvery green needles and its graceful, majestic stature. Hardy, rapid in growth; 80-90 ft. at maturity. On account of the Federal Quarantine, White Pine cannot be shipped into Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico and Utah. See more complete description, also prices for specimen trees, on page 33.

	10	25	100
(a) 8-12 in., seedlings	\$ 2.50	\$ 5.00	\$ 15.00
(b) 2-3 ft., heavy field transplants, 3X	\$18.50	42.50	150.00

E50 - Austrian Pine (Pinus nigra)

An Outstanding Ornamental Pine, and a Great Windbreak Tree. It is similar to the Ponderosa Pine, having the very long needles of deep green, the great spreading branches and handsome form. A favorite for specimen and group planting, for quick screens and windbreaks. For more complete description, and prices on specimen trees, see page 33.

	10	25	100	1,000
(a) 6-12 in., seedlings	\$ 2.75	\$ 5.50	\$ 16.50	\$95.00
(b) 18-24 in., heavy field transplants, 3X	14.00	30.00	100.00	
(c) 2-3 ft., heavy field transplants, 3X	18.50	42.50	150.00	

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36 FINEST EVERGREEN TRANSPLANTS

12 DOUGLAS FIR, 12-18 in.	\$ 5.50
12 AMERICAN ARBOR-VITAE, 12-18 in.	3.50
12 NORWAY SPRUCE, 12-18 in.	5.50

Regular price \$14.50

FERRIS' BARGAIN FEATURE **\$12⁰⁰**

E11 - American Arbor-Vitae

It Develops the Densest of All Windbreaks and Screens. A great favorite, too, for hedges and lawn groups. Thick, bright green, beautifully carved foliage. Untrimmed it develops a graceful broad pyramid 35 to 50 feet tall, but shears easily to any desired height or shape. Needs lots of moisture. For complete description, as well as other sizes and prices, see page 32.

	10	25	100	1,000
(a) 8-12 in., seedlings	\$1.60	\$3.25	\$10.00	\$85.00
(b) 12-15 in., seedlings	2.00	4.00	12.50	
(c) 12-18 in., light transplants, 1X	3.50	7.00	23.50	
(d) 18-24 in., light transplants, 2X	4.50	8.75	27.50	

E42 - Balsam Fir

(Abies balsamea)

The Christmas Tree Evergreen from the Forests! Beautiful, heavy, lustrous foliage. Useful too, for underplanting under large, established evergreens. Forms a broad, regular pyramidal tree, with horizontal branches: 50-60 ft. at maturity.

	10	25	100
(a) 6-10 in., seedlings	\$2.00	\$ 4.00	\$12.50
(b) 18-24 in., light transplants, 2X	4.50	9.00	30.00
(c) 2-3 ft., light transplants, 2X	5.50	11.75	40.00

E55 - Red Cedar

(Juniperus virginiana)

Well Known Native Evergreen, popular for screens, hedges, windbreaks, and even as specimens on the lawn. It withstands dry weather well, and is very hardy. The graceful, broad pyramid is covered with thick, deep green foliage sometimes silver tinted, with bronze tinge in the winter. Grows 20 to 30 feet tall, but is readily sheared to any desired size or shape.

	10	25	100
(a) 6-10 in., seedlings	\$ 2.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 12.50
(b) 18-24 in., heavy field transplants, 2X	8.00	17.50	65.00
(c) 3-4 ft., heavy field transplants, 3X	14.00	30.00	100.00

DOUGLAS
FIR

E40 - Douglas Fir

Finest of All Evergreens for Windbreaks and Screens. Supremely hardy, healthy and drought resisting, it grows quickly and compactly, developing a lofty, graceful pyramid. Lower branches are retained even in mature years — a tree of beauty and long life. The in mature years — a tree of beauty and long life. The Douglas Fir windbreak, pictured at top of page, adds much to the beauty and value of the Wm. E. Meyer home near Geneva, Iowa. For description and prices on select specimen trees, see page 32.

	10	25	100	1,000
(a) 6-10 in., seedlings	\$ 2.50	\$ 4.50	\$ 14.50	\$80.00
(b) 12-18 in., light transplants, 2X	5.50	11.75	40.00	
(c) 18-24 in., light transplants, 2X	6.50	15.00	55.00	
(d) 2-3 ft., heavy field transplants, 3X	23.50	50.00	185.00	
(e) 3-4 ft., heavy field transplants, 4X	28.50	66.00	250.00	

AVERAGE DISTANCES TO PLANT EVERGREENS FOR WINDBREAKS

Single row windbreak — 12 ft. apart.
Two row windbreak — 14 ft. apart each way
Three row windbreak — 16 ft. apart each way
Four row windbreak — 16 ft. apart in row and rows 20 ft. apart

(Zigzag or alternating plan is best)

Evergreens Insulate this Farm Home →

Seedling Evergreens in Our Nursery

NORWAY
SPRUCE

Evergreen Trees
Keep Out
the Winter

One of Our Fields of Spruce

FOR PRIVACY AND SHELTER

E43—Black Hills Spruce

Beautiful, Heavy-Foliaged Spruce, sometimes almost blue in color. Grows unusually compact and shapely. Wonderful windbreak evergreen in the West and Missouri Valley district. On page 32 we give full description, with illustration and prices on specimen trees (so fine for lawn groups and backgrounds.)

	10	25	100
(a) 4-8 in., seedlings	\$ 2.75	\$ 5.50	\$ 16.50
(b) 6-10 in., light transplants, 1X	5.00	11.00	35.00
(c) 18-24 in., heavy field transplants, 3X	20.00	45.00	165.00
(d) 2-3 ft., heavy field transplants, 3X	25.00	52.50	195.00

E51—Scotch Pine

Staunch and Hardy—popular for quick windbreaks and picturesque landscape effects. Slender, dark green needles of medium length. Stocky, bushy tree grows 40-50 feet tall at maturity. We give complete description and prices for specimen trees on page 33.

	10	25	100	1,000
(a) 8-12 in., seedlings	\$2.00	\$4.00	\$12.50	\$80.00
(b) 12-18 in., seedlings	2.50	5.00	15.00	

E45—Norway Spruce

The Most Widely Planted Windbreak Evergreen.

Quick growing and hardy, a tall, compact pyramid branching to the ground; thick, short needles of deep green. Windbreaks of our Norway Spruce surrounding the farm buildings and yards (see Norway Spruce windbreak pictured in upper right hand corner) give real protection and warmth. On pages 33 and 35 are pictures of Norway Spruce specimens, and we price the specimens on page 33.

	10	25	100	1,000
(a) 8-12 in., seedlings	\$ 2.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 12.50	\$80.00
(b) 12-18 in., light transplants, 2X	5.50	11.75	40.00	
(c) 2-3 ft., heavy field transplants, 3X	18.50	42.50	150.00	
(d) 3-4 ft., heavy field transplants, 4X	25.00	55.00	200.00	

"DE LUXE" WINDBREAK SPECIAL!

E46—Colorado Spruce

Symmetrical, Bushy—A De Luxe Windbreak Evergreen. Splendid tree for ornamental planting along the driveway, or for windbreaks in prominent places where both appearance and protection are desirable. Turn to page 33 for description and other prices.

	10	25	100
(a) 12-18 in., bushy, heavy field transplants, 3X	\$18.50	\$42.50	\$150.00
(b) 18-24 in., bushy, heavy field transplants, 3X	20.00	45.00	165.00
(c) 2-3 ft., bushy, heavy field transplants, 4X	25.00	52.50	195.00

E44—White Spruce

Hardy, Fine Looking—In Great Demand for Windbreaks and Backgrounds. Ferris' White Spruce are very popular, doing well in all sections. They develop a windbreak or background of beauty and security. Compact by nature, branching to the ground; needles short, thick, and of light almost silvery green. Complete description and prices of our specimen White Spruce you will find on page 32.

	10	25	100	1,000
(a) 6-10 in., seedlings	\$ 2.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 12.50	\$80.00
(b) 12-18 in., light transplants, 2X	5.50	11.75	40.00	
(c) 2-3 ft., heavy field transplants, 3X	20.00	40.00	165.00	

E53—Ponderosa Pine

Extra Long, Thick Needles—A broad, compact tree that gives fine protection. It is absolutely hardy, rapid in growth, reaching a height of 50-60 feet at maturity. Ideal for solid backgrounds and windbreaks, as well as for imposing specimens on the lawn. See description and prices for specimen trees on page 33.

	10	25	100	1,000
(a) 8-12 in., seedlings	\$2.00	\$4.00	\$12.50	\$80.00

WE SUGGEST A protective row or two of quick growing hedging or deciduous trees back of your new evergreen windbreak for quick shelter. See page 24.

NOTE: "X" means number of times transplanted and root-pruned.

DON'T OVERLOOK—the 20 White Spruce, light transplants, 1 ft. average, priced for \$5.50 postpaid on the formvelope enclosed in this catalog.

(E60)

100 POPULAR EVERGREEN SEEDLINGS

20 Colorado Blue Spruce, 8-12 in.	\$ 7.00
20 White Spruce, 6-10 in.	3.60
20 American Arbor-Vitae, 8-12 in.	2.80
20 Scotch Pine, 8-12 in.	3.60
20 Douglas Fir, 8-12 in.	5.00

Regular price..... \$22.00

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\$15.00

(E10)

Pyramidal Arbor-Vitae

(Thuya occidentalis pyramidalis)

What Beauties They Are — classic slender, pointed trees thickly cloaked in lacy, bright green foliage, never growing too tall or bushy. At the entrance or in the foundation planting, they lend rich color the year through; in the garden they give a delightful formal touch.

Our trees have been propagated from an extra select type; the foliage is close and compact, and a bright healthy green color. They naturally develop a shapely pyramid without shearing, seldom measuring over 2 to 3 feet in diameter at the base, with a matured height of 12 to 15 feet, but can easily be clipped back to any desired height. Ferris' Pyramids are exceptionally fine this season; one of these is pictured below.

Each 2

- (a) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X \$2.75 \$ 5.00
 (b) 3-4 ft., select specimens, 4X, B&B .. 5.00 9.40
 (c) 4-5 ft., select specimens, 4X, B&B .. 6.50 12.00
 (d) 5-6 ft., select specimens, 4X, B&B .. 7.85 15.00

PYRAMIDAL ARBOR-VITAE

ORNAMENTAL



(E15) Colorado Silver Cedar

(Juniperus scopulorum)

The Lovely Silver-Green Cedar from the Rocky Mountains. It naturally develops a bushy pyramid, with soft leathery foliage, seldom growing more than 20 feet tall. Quick growing and hardy, it makes a fine screen or background, or is used to good advantage along a driveway. Some clipping each year will thicken the foliage, inducing a more formal character and smaller proportions as shown in the picture above. These sheared specimens are very desirable for entrance or foundation planting.

Each 2

- (a) 18-24 in., specimens, 2X .. \$1.75 \$2.95
 (b) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X 3.50 6.00
 (c) 3-4 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B 4.85 \$8.95

(E12) "Ornamental Spires" Offer

- 1 Pyramidal Arbor-Vitae, 2-3 ft.
 1 Chinese Column Juniper, 2-3 ft.
 1 Colorado Silver Cedar, 18-24 in.
 1 Colo-Green Juniper, 18-24 in.

FOUR FAMOUS UPRIGHT EVERGREENS

Excellent for the entrance, the corners, or foundation background—all pictured on this and opposite pages. (Regular price, \$13.10.)

OUR FEATURE PRICE.....

\$988

(Packed in one convenient bundle)



(E16) Ames Juniper

(Juniperus chinensis Ames)

A Lovely, Formal Compact Juniper, dwarfish and upright in habit, shading from blue-green to green. It was developed by the late Prof. T. J. Maney and introduced by the Iowa State College of Ames, Iowa. It has a distinct advantage in holding its handsome, thick foliage to the center of the tree, giving it an unusual full and symmetrical appearance, and requires little pruning. Very hardy. This superb evergreen, pictured above, is excellent for the foundation setting.

Each 2

- (a) 12-18 in., specimens, 2X .. \$4.50 \$ 8.40
 (b) 2 1/4-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B 7.50 14.25
 (c) 3-3 1/2 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B 9.00 17.00

BALLED & BURLAPPED EVERGREENS

Below are approximate weights of B&B Evergreens, which will vary according to the variety and moisture content of the soil:

- 18-24 in. — 40 to 50 lbs.
 2-3 ft. — 50 to 80 lbs.
 3-4 ft. — 80 to 100 lbs.

We advise shipping by Truck Freight if this service is accessible. In ordering be sure to give name of Trucking Company servicing your community. Express service is sometimes faster, and sometimes cheaper for one or two trees, but we advise your checking with the express agent on the 2nd class rate. Should you be located outside the Midwest States area, we recommend that you buy the Individually Wrapped Trees, which weigh considerably less. However, B&B is always the safest way to handle large specimen Evergreens.

(E14) Chinese Column Juniper

(Juniperus chinensis pyramidalis blue)

Tall, Slender Columns of Deep Green Shading to Blue give a tone of elegance at the entrance, in the foundation border, or as formal accents in the garden. This fine and popular evergreen grows to 15 or 20 feet, becoming more compact and shapely with age; it is easily sheared to any desired height. Hardy, quick to become established, and of rapid growth. Will do well almost anywhere except in a too wet or too shady place. A Juniper of distinctive beauty that has always pleased our customers. See picture just above.

Each 2

- (a) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X ... \$3.75 \$6.85
 (b) 3 1/2-4 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B 5.00 9.45

EVERGREENS



(E17) Steel Blue Juniper

(Juniperus scopulorum Steel Blue)

Wonderful, New, Landscape Evergreen! Thick, handsome, twilled foliage of rich silvery blue covers a very dense, shapely cone. Steel Blue shapes up earlier and maintains a more even symmetry than any other Juniper of this type. 6 to 10 feet at maturity. Its grand color, superb form and moderate proportions, as well as its complete hardness make it a perfect landscape tree. See picture above.

Each 2

- (a) 18-24 in., heavy specimens, 3X \$5.00 \$ 9.50
- (b) 2-2½ ft., heavy specimens, 3X, B&B 6.95 12.95
- (c) 2½-3 ft., heavy specimens, 4X, B&B 8.85 16.95

(E18) Colo-Green Juniper

(Juniperus scopulorum Colo-Green)

New, Beautiful, Dark Green Pyramid. Thick, soft foliage covers a narrow, compact, symmetrical pyramid, seldom more than 30 inches through at the base, and its rich green color is retained throughout the year. We consider it the best of the new, dark green scopulorums — a grand evergreen for the entrance or foundation planting. 10-15 feet at maturity when untrimmed.

Each 2

- (a) 18-24 in., light specimens, 2X \$4.85 \$ 8.95
- (b) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B 6.00 11.35



(E19) Marshall's Silver Juniper

(Juniperus scopulorum Marshall)

Elegant, Compact Pyramid of Moonlight Blue! We have very fine specimens of this excellent grafted Juniper. Foliage is heavy, branches more upright than most, and it develops with little shearing a narrow, shapely column that is so effective in landscape plantings. 15 to 18 feet at maturity, but like most Junipers can be sheared and maintained at smaller sizes. Entirely hardy. Considered by some to be the most beautiful of all upright Junipers. Pictured above.

Each 2

- (a) 2½-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B \$6.00 \$11.35
- (b) 4-5 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B 8.85 16.95

All Evergreens on Pages 28 and 29 Can Be Kept Sheared to Any Desired Size.

All Evergreens on Pages 28 and 29, not marked B&B, (except "Ornamental Spires" Other and the smaller sizes priced under \$2.00 each), will be individually wrapped.

(For Best Results, follow carefully the planting directions for Evergreens on page 35.)



(E20) Cannart Red Cedar

(Juniperus virginiana Cannarti)

Deep Lustrous Green, Tufted Foliage is the Distinguishing Charm of this hardy and very fine evergreen—holding its rich color the year through. In evergreen groups it contrasts yet it is in perfect blend with the softer, lighter shades of other varieties. Great favorite for landscaping, developing a beautiful pyramid form. 15 to 20 feet at maturity but can be kept sheared to any size. A grand ornamental we strongly recommend. Note photo above.

Each 2

- (a) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X \$4.50 \$ 8.50
- (b) 3-3½ ft., select specimens, 4X, B&B 6.95 12.95
- (c) 3½-4 ft., select specimens, 4X, B&B 8.50 16.00

(E21)

Taper Queen Juniper

(Juniperus scopulorum Sutherland)

Shiny Green Cones DeLuxe! We highly recommend this elegant Juniper of unusual symmetry and color. Thick, handsome twilled foliage covers a very dense cone of deep shimmering green, in delightful contrast to the blue and silver coloring of other members of the Scopulorum family. 6 to 10 feet at maturity. Of supreme importance to the entrance, foundation planting and formal garden. The picture below shows a Ferris Taper Queen Juniper growing in the foreground of a northern Iowa dwelling.

Each 2

- (a) 18-24 in., specimens, 3X \$4.85 \$ 8.95
- (b) 2½-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B 6.00 11.35
- (c) 3-3½ ft., specimens, 4X, B&B 8.50 16.00



All Evergreens on pages 30 and 31 respond to shearing, and may be maintained at any desired size.

LOW GROWERS

NOTE: "X" means number of times transplanted and root-pruned. For best results with your Evergreens, follow carefully the directions on page 35.



E22 - COMPACTA (DWARF) PFITZER'S JUNIPER

(Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana Nick's)
New, very compact, more dwarf type of Pfitzer's Juniper, and particularly fine for limited areas — for the low ranch type home. It has the rich green, leathery foliage and graceful arching branches of the parent Pfitzer, but grows more slowly, more densely, and is not so broad. One of our Compacta Pfitzer's specimens is shown above.

	Each	2
(a) 12x18 in., specimens, 2X	\$2.98	\$5.50
(b) 18x24 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	4.95	9.35
(c) 2x3 ft., heavy specimens, 4X, B&B	6.00	11.35

E7 - SIBERIAN ARBOR-VITAE

(Thuja occidentalis Warreana)
Beautiful, heavy, deeply chiseled foliage of glossy green covers a rather low, broad cone, more round than upright. Its symmetry and slow growth, as well as its hardiness make it a very desirable evergreen for foundation groups. 4 to 6 feet at maturity when untrimmed, but readily sheared to any shape or size.

	Each	2
(a) 12x18 in., specimens, 3X (SHEARED GLOBE FORM)	\$1.98	\$3.60
(b) 18x24 in., specimens, 3X, B&B, (SHEARED GLOBE FORM)	3.98	7.35

E8 - GLOBE ARBOR-VITAE

(Thuja occidentalis globosa)
Charming dwarf evergreen with flat, carved foliage, forming a dense globe of deep shining green without trimming. Popularly used in foundation groups and borders where its lovely rounded form blends delightfully with the more spreading, informal habits of other types.

	Each	2
12x18 in., specimens, 2X	\$1.98	\$3.60



E23 - MANEY JUNIPER

(Juniperus chinensis Maney) (above)
A Distinctive Beauty—semi-erect, bushy, spreading, with a decided bluish cast. It grows as broad as it does tall, and fills a place all its own between the low and tall growing ornamental Junipers. It bears the name of the late Prof. T. J. Maney who developed it; in 1947 it was introduced by the Iowa State College of Ames, Iowa. Fine for the medium border, mass plantings, or as individual specimens. Tolerates heavy pruning, so can be kept to almost any size desired. We were proud to be among the first to offer this outstanding evergreen. A border planting of Maney Juniper in front of our office building has brought us many admiring comments.

Note the Maney Juniper specimens in the "Picture Window" Landscape Offer, also the specimen above.

	Each	2
(a) 10x15 in., light specimens, 2X	\$4.75	\$8.55
(b) 15x20 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	6.95	12.95

LOW GROWERS - In Small Rooted Cuttings

Through the years we have had a continual demand from our customers for inexpensive dwarf evergreens that could be lined out in the garden and grown to maturity. This stock is not to be confused in any way with the heavier, transplanted sizes listed on these pages. It is a wonderful opportunity for those who wish to grow their own small evergreens to specimen sizes.

These are one-year rooted cuttings, averaging 6-12 in., and are the same as we use in our own field. They must be shipped a little later than our regular sizes. We suggest that you plant these in your garden, 18 inches apart, and handle and care for them the same as you would seedling evergreens (see foot of page 35) with the exception they do not have to be shaded.

We do not sell less than 10 to a customer.

	10	25
(EC28) - ANDORRA JUNIPER, rooted cuttings	\$4.95	\$8.50
(EC25) - PFITZER'S JUNIPER, rooted cuttings	5.95	10.00
(EC33) - SAVIN JUNIPER, rooted cuttings	4.95	8.50



E25 - PFITZER'S JUNIPER

(Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana)
Exceptionally Beautiful and Hardy—no wonder it is the most popular of all dwarf evergreens. Handsome, leathery, gray-green foliage covers arching, spreading branches as it develops a broad picturesque form. Hardy everywhere, doing well in shade or sunlight. One of our Pfitzer's Juniper specimens is pictured above.

	Each	2
(a) 8-12 in., field transplants, 1X	\$1.98	\$3.60
(b) 12x18 in., light specimens, 2X	3.50	6.50
(c) 18x24 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	5.25	8.90
(d) 2x3 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B	6.25	11.90

E26 - HETZI JUNIPER

(Juniperus glauca hetzi)

A Fast Growing and Lovely New Juniper. It resembles quite closely the Pfitzer's Juniper but is more silvery in color and even more rapid in growth. 4 to 5 ft. at maturity when untrimmed. Very valuable for foundation groups and responds perfectly to trimming. Note picture of this hardy evergreen in the Entrance Group at lower right.

	Each	2
(a) 12x18 in., light specimens, 2X	\$2.85	\$5.00
(b) 18x24 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	5.00	9.50

RED SPIDER DUST

For Red Spider Control on Evergreens and Other Trees and Plants
This New Improved Formula contains Aramite and Rotenone, and comes in a SELF DUSTER PACKAGE, all ready to use! Thoroughly cover the branches, stems and needles on both upper and lower surfaces, then follow with second and third applications at 10 day intervals when necessary. Keep your evergreens healthy and free from the ravages of red spider by using this effective Red Spider Dust.

Also recommended for control of Black Spot, Mildew, Leaf Spot and Rust. Especially fine for Roses, Phlox, Dahlias, Delphiniums, vegetables such as beans and peas, also for berry plants such as Strawberries, Raspberries, Currants, Gooseberries and Grapes. Simple directions to follow are plainly given on self duster package.

1 LB. COMBINATION PACKAGE 98c
(This is a dust gun filled with Red Spider Dust)



E27 - MUCHO PINE

(Pinus mughus)

One of Our Finest Dwarf Evergreens! This picturesque species forms a bushy, compact ball, growing as broad as it does tall, seldom over 3 feet in height and easily sheared smaller. Thick needles, long and stiff, are rich dark green throughout the year. In the spring the new growth looks like a multitude of candles over the tree. A beautiful border evergreen, ideal for foreground and foundation planting, for beds, and for grouping inside the walk.

	Each	2
(a) 8x12 in., heavy field transplants, 2X	\$1.98	\$3.60
(b) 12x18 in., specimens, 2X	3.50	6.50
(c) 18x24 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	5.00	9.50



E28 - ANDORRA JUNIPER

(Juniperus communis depressa plumosa)
A Trailing Beauty of Superb Coloring. Low, spreading branches, seldom over 18 inches from the ground, are covered with artistic, finely cut foliage, which through the spring and summer is bright silvery green, but turning at the first touch of frost to handsome mauve-pink. In the foreground of Steel Blue Juniper or darker evergreens, its exquisite winter coloring is most pronounced. Ideal for terraces and rockeries, too. This popular dwarf is pictured above, and also two are included in the "Picture Window" Landscape Offer.

	Each	2
(a) 12x18 in., light specimens, 2X	\$1.98	\$3.60
(b) 18x24 in., specimens, 3X	2.98	5.50
(c) 2x3 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B	5.00	9.50

E29 - SILVER-BLUE PFITZER'S JUNIPER

(Juniperus chinensis pfitzeriana blue)

(Pat. No. 422). This splendid dwarf evergreen has all the grace, beauty and fine performance of the regular Pfitzer's Juniper, with added charm of silvery blue foliage. The new growth each season enhances its silvery frostiness. An ideal specimen for the entrance planting, foundation group or formal garden. 3 to 4 feet at maturity.

	Each	2
(a) 8-12 in., field transplants, 1X	\$1.98	\$3.60
(b) 12x18 in., light specimens, 2X	2.85	5.00
(c) 18x24 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	5.00	9.50
(d) 2x3 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B	6.00	11.40

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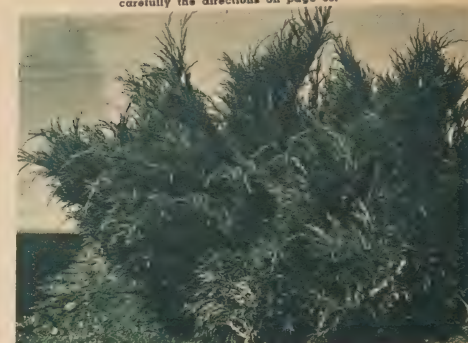


E30 - JAPANESE JUNIPER

(Juniperus chinensis procumbens)

Handsome Creeper for the Landscape. Dense, sharp-pointed, blue-green foliage of an intricate pattern spreads out in a charming fashion, seldom lifting more than 8 or 12 inches from the ground. A little shearing each year will keep it permanently small and compact if the rambling spread is not desired. Very useful and beautiful in the low border, terrace or rock garden. Hardy either in full sunlight or partial shade. See picture above.

	Each	2
(a) 18x24 in., specimens, 3X	\$3.85	\$7.00
(b) 24x30 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	6.25	11.90



E33 - SAVIN JUNIPER

(Juniperus sabina)
The Favorite Trailer—beautiful, dependable, and hardy everywhere. Dark green, tufted foliage covers dense, spreading branches, producing an ideal plant for the foreground, and giving the finest sort of finish to foundation groups, parks, or formal beds. It endures smoky conditions of the city, and is at home anywhere. Seldom over 3 feet high at maturity. One of our Savin Juniper specimens is pictured above, and one is included in the Entrance Group below.

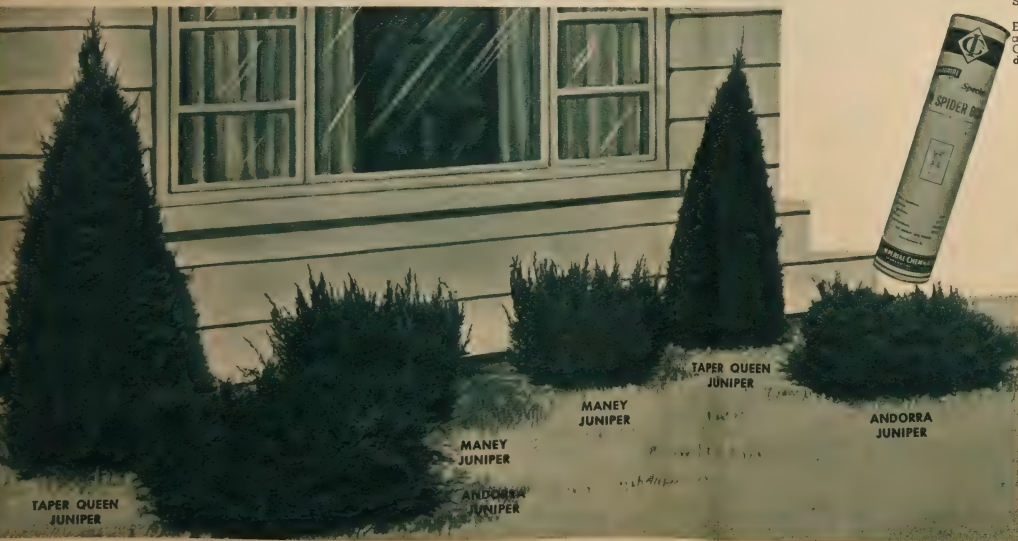
	Each	2
(a) 12x18 in., specimens, 2X	\$2.85	\$5.00
(b) 18x24 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	4.95	9.35
(c) 2x3 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B	5.75	11.00

(E32) "CHARM" ENTRANCE GROUP

1 Juniper Virginiana, specimen, 2-3 ft.	\$2.00
1 Hetzi Juniper, light specimen, 12x18 in.	2.85
1 Savin Juniper, specimen, 12x18 in.	2.85

(Regular Price) \$7.70
OUR GROUP FEATURE PRICE \$6.65

(INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED)
Fine Group of Ferris' Evergreens for One Side of Entrance — or for a Corner of Your Dwelling.



(E24) "PICTURE WINDOW" LANDSCAPE OFFER

Elegant Evergreens to Frame Your Picture Window, or to Give Your Home Entrance Year-Round Beauty.

2 TAPER QUEEN JUNIPER, specimens, 18-24 in.	\$ 8.95
2 MANEY JUNIPER, light specimens, 10x15 in.	8.65
2 ANDORRA JUNIPER, specimens, 18x24 in.	5.50

(Regular Price) \$23.10

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All Six Specimens \$18.95

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DOUGLAS FIR
Handsome
and
Enduring



Evergreens Direct

You need a living
Christmas Tree.

E40—DOUGLAS FIR

(Pseudotsuga Douglasi)

Superb Windbreak Evergreen—and Favorite Ornamental! A tree of superlative qualities—supremely hardy and healthy, entirely immune from red spider, drought resisting, and then handsome as well. It grows quickly and compactly, with graceful branches thickly clothed in deep green lustrous foliage. An ideal tree to use in group plantings where space is limited, as it develops a lofty, graceful pyramid, becoming more beautiful with each year's growth. For windbreaks, its popularity has grown by leaps and bounds, and it is also an ideal evergreen for backgrounds and lawn groups. You will never be disappointed in Ferris' Douglas Fir.

We grow our Douglas Fir from northern Colorado seed of the very finest, hardiest strain, developing a more compact, symmetrical tree than the southern type, 60 to 80 feet at maturity. (Don't overlook the small sizes and special windbreak grades on page 28.)

	Each	2
(f) 18-24 in., specimens, 3X	\$2.75	\$ 5.00
(g) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B	4.50	8.50
(h) 3-4 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B	6.00	11.50

**AMERICAN
ARBOR-
VITAE**
Specimen

**BLACK HILLS
SPRUCE**
A Shapely Beauty

E44—WHITE SPRUCE

(Picea canadensis alba)

An Evergreen of Fine Form, useful in many phases of landscaping, also makes excellent screens and windbreaks. It is quite similar to the Black Hills Spruce, with its short, thick needles of light green, sometimes almost blue, but is a little more pyramidal in habit and grows somewhat faster. A favorite, too, for living Christmas Trees on the lawn. Maturing height, 60-70 feet. (For small sizes and special windbreak grades, see page 27.)

	Each	2
(d) 18-24 in., specimens, 3X	\$2.85	\$5.15
(e) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B	4.50	8.50

E43—BLACK HILLS SPRUCE

(Picea glauca densata)

Famed for its Shapeliness. Always a little beauty, with its heavy, thick foliage, color a rich glaucous green, sometimes intense blue. Extremely hardy, easy to establish, maturing at 35 to 50 feet. Great favorite for lawn specimen planting; splendid for windbreaks in the West and Missouri Valley district. (For small sizes and special windbreak grades, see page 27.)

	Each	2
(e) 18-24 in., specimens, 3X	\$3.00	\$ 5.50
(f) 2-3 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B	4.50	8.50
(g) 3-4 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B	6.00	11.50

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To Keep the Dogs
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PROTECT YOUR EVERGREENS
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E11—AMERICAN ARBOR-VITAE

(Thuja occidentalis)

Known also as White Cedar—a great favorite for lawn groups, hedges and foundation settings. The flat, beautifully carved foliage covers the tree like a mantle. Untrimmed it grows into a graceful broad pyramid, 35 to 50 feet tall, but shears readily to any desired height or shape. Well used as backgrounds, in landscape groups, trimmed hedges, or as single lawn specimens. It develops the densest of all windbreaks and screens. It requires lots of moisture. Plant 2 feet apart for sheared hedge.

	10	25	100
(a) 8-12 in., seedlings	\$1.60	\$3.25	\$10.00
(b) 12-15 in., seedlings	2.00	4.00	12.50
(c) 12-18 in., light transplants, 1X	3.50	7.00	23.50

(Specimen Trees Below):

	Each	2
(e) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X	\$2.50	\$4.50
(f) 3-4 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B	4.50	8.50

(E54)

"Economy" Lawn Group

- 1 COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE, light transplant 12-18 in.
- 1 DOUGLAS FIR, light transplant 12-18 in.
- 1 BALSAM FIR, light transplant 18-24 in.
- 1 AMERICAN ARBOR-VITAE, light transplant 12-18 in.
- 1 NORWAY SPRUCE, light transplant 12-18 in.

Packed in One Convenient Bundle
(Regular price, \$3.50)

These 5 GREAT
LAWN EVERGREENS, only..... **\$2⁵⁰**



Air View of part of our Nursery. Order
Fine Evergreens to come to you direct
from these Nursery fields.

from Our Fields

E50—AUSTRIAN PINE

(Pinus nigra)

They sometimes call this "Black Pine" because of its very long, thick needles of beautiful, dark rich green. It has numerous, spreading but slightly upright reaching branches that are quite uniformly spaced, and develops an imposing tree for lawn specimens, groups or screens. Also the Austrian Pine is valuable for quick solid windbreaks. Hardy and well adapted to almost any section. 40-60 ft. at maturity. **We offer seedlings and special windbreak grades on page 26.**

	Each	2
(d) 18-24 in., select field transplants, 3X, B&B	\$2.25	\$4.00
(e) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B	4.50	8.50

E51—SCOTCH PINE

(Pinus sylvestris)

A Decorative Tree. When young it is a stocky, rounded, bushy tree densely covered with blue-green needles of medium length. In older years it has a delightful irregularity of outline that is so picturesque on the landscape. Rapid in growth, very hardy, and does well in almost any soil. It develops fine windbreaks and screens, besides being one of the best for reforestation. Popular for landscaping, also. **Seedlings are offered on page 27.**

	Each	2
(c) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B	\$4.50	\$8.50



NORWAY SPRUCE

E45—NORWAY SPRUCE

(Picea excelsa)

A Long-Time Favorite for Shelter-Belt and Ornamental Planting. It's the familiar Spruce of the prairie states — a tall, compact, ornamental pyramid, well branched to the ground, with thick, short needles of deep green. (See picture of a Norway Spruce heavy windbreak tree on page 27.) Hardy and well adapted to almost any good growing soil; the most rapid growing of all the Spruces. For many years our Norway Spruce have been in great demand for windbreak plantings, hedges, background groups, as well as living Christmas Trees on the lawn. 60 to 75 feet at maturity. (For small sizes and special windbreak grades, see page 27.)

	Each	2
(e) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X	\$2.25	\$4.00
(f) 3-4 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B	4.85	9.00

E52—WHITE PINE

(Pinus strobus)

Called "King of the Pines". Noted for its long, soft light silvery green needles, and its graceful, majestic stature. It is extremely rapid in growth, hardy and dependable, retaining its lower branches even in mature years. Distinctive and beautiful in lawn groups or backgrounds, gives complete security in screens and windbreaks, and is the country's foremost lumber pine. 60 to 80 feet at maturity. On account of the Federal Quarantine, White Pine cannot be shipped into Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico and Utah. We have exceptionally fine specimens this season. (Seedlings and special windbreak grades are offered on page 26.)

	Each	2
(c) 18-24 in., select field transplants, 3X, B&B	\$2.25	\$4.00
(d) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B	4.50	8.50

ALL EVERGREENS—On pages 32 and 33 (except seedling and light transplanted American Arbor Vitae and Colorado Blue Spruce, also B&B's), not marked B&B, will be individually Wrapped. See page 35 for full explanation.



PONDEROSA PINE

E46—COLORADO SPRUCE

(Picea pungens)

Its Handsome Form and Color add Distinction to the Home Landscape. Here is a splendid specimen for your lawn, used either singly or in groups. It develops a broad, even pyramid with thick, graceful branches from the ground up, covered with heavy lustrous foliage of deep green sometimes touched with silver. It has the grand bearing and hardiness of the Rocky Mountains from whence it originated. As these green specimens mature they often times acquire a blue tinge. We offer these in "de luxe" windbreak grades on page 27.

	Each	2
(d) 18-24 in., specimens, 3X	\$3.00	\$5.50
(e) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B	4.50	8.50
(f) 3-4 ft., specimens, 4X, B&B	6.00	11.50

E47—COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

In Small Sizes

	Each	10	25	100
(a) 4-8 in., seedlings	\$ 2.50	\$ 5.00	\$15.00	
(b) 8-12 in., seedlings	3.75	7.50	25.00	
(c) 12-18 in., light transplants, 2X	\$0.90	8.00	18.00	
(d) 18-24 in., light transplants, 2X	1.25	11.50	25.00	

NOTE: These seedlings and transplants were all grown from seed taken from select Blue Spruce but do not show blue to any extent when so young—not until they reach a height of 18-24 inches. A large number of them will develop into very fine Blue specimens.

EARL FERRIS NURSERY — Hampton, Iowa



Year-round protection and beauty for your home.

E53—PONDEROSA PINE

(Pinus ponderosa)

In the Ponderosa Pine is the beauty of Strength and Massiveness—a tree that is invaluable for solid backgrounds or enormous spreading specimens on the lawn. The extra long, thick needles of rich deep green readily distinguish it from other varieties. It is hardy, rapid in growth; it combines so effectively with Spruce and Fir. **We offer seedlings on page 27.**

	Each	2
(b) 18-24 in., select field transplants, 3X, B&B	\$2.25	\$4.00
(c) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B	4.50	8.50

(E49)

"De Luxe" Lawn Group

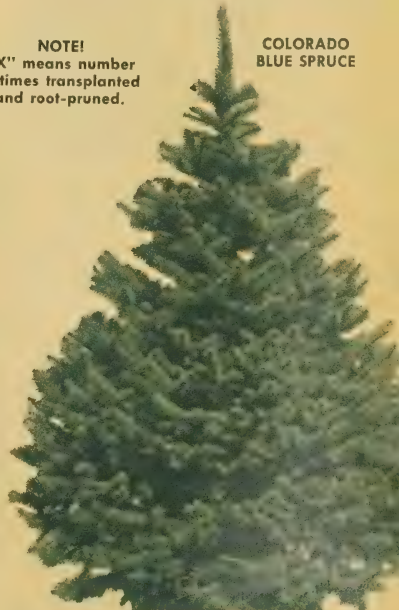
- 1 COLORADO SPRUCE, specimen 12-18 in.
- 1 DOUGLAS FIR, specimen 12-18 in.
- 1 WHITE SPRUCE, specimen 12-18 in.

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**These 3 OUTSTANDING
LAWN EVERGREENS, only \$4.85**

NOTE!
"X" means number
of times transplanted
and root-pruned.

COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE



E48—COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

(Picea pungens glauca)

The tree that everyone longs for—with its wonderful coloring of silvery-blue-green, and its superb form, graceful branches cascading in even layers from a tapering crown to a broad base. Every year it becomes more compact, beautiful, and colorful. It is the landscape favorite, ideally used as a single specimen on the lawn, or in groups. An evergreen that combines complete hardiness with charm and beauty, adaptable to nearly all climates. 40 to 60 feet at maturity.

	Each	
(a) 18-24 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	\$ 9.50	
(b) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B	15.00	

Concolor Fir

(Abies concolor).

The Most Magnificent Lawn Tree!

(E41)

Without question, Ferris' Concolor Fir specimens are the finest produced anywhere — so symmetrical, compact, and handsome in every sense of the word. There is no finer lawn tree, a wonderful living Christmas tree, and for groups and background screens they have no equal.

Originating in Colorado, they have acquired all the grandeur and hardness of the Rocky Mountains. Long, graceful needles are extremely thick on the branches, varying in color from light green to gray-blue, giving the tree a beautiful soft, full appearance, and the name "Silver Fir". They never lose their lower branches, growing more compact, shapely and magnificent each season, often reaching a height of 50 to 60 feet. Rapid in growth, perfectly hardy, and entirely free of any insect troubles. If you are seeking a truly grand evergreen for your lawn, by all means plant one or more of our beautiful Concolor Fir.

	Each	2	10
(a) 10-15 in., light transplants, 2X	\$1.50	\$ 2.80	\$12.50
(b) 15-20 in., light transplants, 2X	2.50	4.50	20.00
(c) 18-24 in., heavy field transplants, 3X	3.85	7.20	
(d) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X, B&B	7.50	14.35	

E34—HALLORAN YEW

(Taxus media Halloran)

Fine, new, hardy variety from Massachusetts, which we have found to be of extreme value here in the Midwest. Foliage is unusually thick and attractive. In early years it grows somewhat like a Hatfield Yew, in a very broad, compact, vase form, but a little later on develops into more of a spreader than an upright type, with a high, full center. Maturing specimens often measure 10 ft. across and 5 ft. in height but are easily kept sheared to smaller proportions. Splendid for foundation and entrance planting, as well as for mass planting and hedges.

	Each	2
12-18 in., transplants, 2X	\$5.00	\$9.40

E36—UPRIGHT JAPANESE YEW

(Taxus cuspidata capitata)

Handsome Dark Green, Shiny Foliage—Delights in Shade. Tree is upright in habit, usually developing a leader. A rich, distinctive evergreen that is in great demand for foundation groups and rockeries, as well as formal gardens. Some clipping back of the new growth each season will develop a more compact and symmetrical growth. 6-10 ft. at maturity. The beautiful Ferris specimen shown at the right is a part of a customer's landscape setting.

	Each	2
(a) 12-18 in., heavy, 2X	\$ 5.00	\$ 9.40
(b) 15-20 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	8.50	16.40
(c) 18-24 in., heavy specimens, 3X, B&B	12.50	24.50

NOTE: All Evergreens on page 34, except Concolor Fir in light transplants, not marked B&B, will be individually wrapped. "X" means number of times transplanted and root pruned.

EARL FERRIS NURSERY — Hampton, Iowa

HARDY
ORIENTAL
ARBOR-VITAE

E9—HARDY ORIENTAL ARBOR-VITAE

(Thuja orientalis Rochester)

New, handsome, formal-foliaged Arbor-Vitae of complete hardness that seldom shows any winter discoloration. It is a beautiful evergreen for entrance and foundation planting. The foliage is extremely thick, lacy, and of vivid green, the edge of the flattened leaves growing vertical with the trunk in an unusually picturesque fashion. The growth is slow, and symmetrical, forming a dense, broad pyramid, and it will also make a splendid hedge. See picture above.

	Each	2
(a) 2-3 ft., specimens, 3X	\$3.50	\$ 6.30
(b) 3-4 ft., heavy specimens, 4X, B&B	4.85	9.00
(c) 4-5 ft., heavy specimens, 4X, B&B	6.85	12.95

Evergreens on This Page for Special Uses
and Conditions

We consider Concolor Fir our finest lawn tree! Our Hardy Oriental Arbor-Vitae are evergreens of unusual symmetry and grace, and grow without winter-coloring in localities where other Arbor-Vitae are sometimes disappointing.

Yews are famous for their rich waxy foliage and for their fine adaptability to the north side or other shady spots. They withstand unfavorable city conditions, also, providing they have good soil and receive ample moisture.

E35—SPREADING JAPANESE YEW

(Taxus cuspidata)

Beautiful, Deep Green, Spreader Type—ideal for shade. Of informal, graceful habit, its many branches covered with the plump, waxy Yew foliage. Highly desirable for the north side foundation, for the rock garden, or to mass in front of taller evergreens. Seldom grows over 3 to 3½ ft. tall. Below is a picture of a Ferris specimen growing in a customer's planting.

	Each	2
(a) 12x18 in., heavy, 2X	\$ 5.00	\$ 9.40
(b) 18x24 in., specimens, 3X, B&B	8.50	16.40
(c) 2x3 ft., heavy specimens, 4X, B&B	12.50	24.50

SPREADING
JAPANESE YEW

UPRIGHT
JAPANESE
YEW

Ferris' Evergreens

INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED SPECIMENS

What This Means

In the past many successful planters have used INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED Evergreens, packed in sphagnum moss. This year we are wrapping the smaller and medium size specimens in this manner without extra charge. We have found this the most economical and successful method for speeding up transportation of specimen trees.

This is a Balled and Burlapped B&B NORWAY SPRUCE Specimen. See Page 33.

B&B MEANS BALLED AND BURLAPPED

The tree is dug with a solid ball of rich, heavy loam in which it has been growing for years, completely covering and protecting the root system. The ball is firmed and held in place by a secure covering of burlap and twine. Around the outside of the burlap will be a polyethylene bag, which must be removed when planting, but leave on the burlap.

We have from here excellent truck freight service, which is usually cheaper. Express will give slightly quicker delivery and probably should be used where only one tree is ordered. Trees are so packed that they are perfectly safe enroute for a period of two or three weeks if necessary. If you order by truck, please specify on order blank the Truck

Line servicing your community. To customers who are located 500 miles or more from us, we recommend your checking with your express agent on the shipping costs, figuring 40 to 100 lbs. per B&B tree. (Nursery stock by express takes the second class rate.) If the rate is too high, we advise you to use the smaller sizes, Individually Wrapped, or truck freight.

How to Plant B&B Evergreens

(1) B&B HOLE A FOOT LARGER AND DEEPER THAN BALL OF EARTH. PROVIDE GOOD, LOAMY TOP SOIL TO FILL AROUND BALL.



For Balled and Burlapped Evergreens

Dig a hole about twice the size of your ball, and plant the tree at once. If the ground is dry at planting time, fill the hole with water, and let it soak away before putting in the tree. Take care to handle the tree carefully so as not to break the ball, place it in the hole so that the tree will be a few inches deeper than it had been in the nursery, then cut the burlap at the top of the ball, rolling it back for 3 or 4 inches. For added protection and to conserve moisture, we cover the ball with a polyethylene bag, which you must remove before planting. Do not remove the burlap. Plant ball, burlap and all, using good growing soil to pack around the ball, and be sure to pack this firmly. Cut all strings around trunk of tree. Give evergreens plenty of moisture the first year or two until well established. Always water evergreens thoroughly in late fall before ground freezes.

(1) How to Plant Bare Root or Individually Wrapped Evergreens



Always plant as soon as the trees reach you. Do not expose roots to the air. When you have everything ready to plant, unpack the shipment, putting the roots of each tree into a pail or tub of water and soak thoroughly, then plant at once.

(2)



With INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED specimens, remove all of the packing material, soak the roots very thoroughly, and plant at once, following closely the directions in (1) and (3).

(3)

NOTE: MANURE, UNLESS WELL ROTTED AND THOROUGHLY MIXED WITH THE SOIL, SHOULD BE USED ONLY ON TOP OF USED AT ALL



WE SUGGEST RA-PID-GRO—SEE PAGE 53.

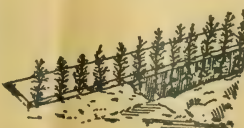
Plant Deeply and Firmly, spreading the roots out in their natural positions, and press the soil around each tiny root. Evergreens should be planted from 2 to 6 inches deeper than they were in the nursery row, depending on size of the tree. At the top of the ground leave a little loose soil, and after any severe wind or heavy rain during the first season, once more tramp the ground with extreme firmness around the roots. With specimen evergreens in a foundation planting, there should be 3 ft. from center of hole to foundation wall.



Start Cultivation at Once. Cultivate well and often during the growing season. This should be done for the first 2 years. Evergreens will not thrive or give best results in a weed patch. If you cannot cultivate, give them a very heavy mulching of well-rotted straw or old sawdust as soon as your trees are planted.

Water Well. If you are having dry weather at planting time, you should water evergreens thoroughly about every other evening until you get a soaking rain. Do this through all dry spells for the first year or two. This is especially necessary in foundation plantings of ornamental evergreens, where the trees get a strong reflection from the sun and the ground dries more readily. Be sure to water your evergreens thoroughly in late fall before ground freezes.

If the weather is beginning to get warm when you plant, as an added precaution it is well to wrap the tops of the evergreens with paper for about two weeks after planting. This conserves moisture.



HOW TO CARE FOR SEEDLING EVERGREENS

It is best to plant seedlings anywhere at any price that handles every garden spraying requirement. Just fill jar to correct level (as printed on jar) for amount of spraying to be done. Attach to hose and start spraying. That's all there is to it! The water pressure does the work.

(watering in the evening after the sun has set). We recommend a partial shade during the first summer, making the shade racks of lath with $\frac{3}{4}$ in. space between each lath. These, too, should be given a thorough watering in late fall before ground freezes. Leave the seedlings in the beds two years, and the third spring they should be in good condition to move to their permanent locations.



The ONLY SPRAYER that SPRAYS EVERYTHING!

Sprays Up - Down - to Either Side or Full Stream Up to 30 ft. high

REDIMIX 2-IN-1 SPRAYER, with the new all-purpose baffle, is the only Sprayer anywhere at any price that handles every garden spraying requirement. Just fill jar to correct level (as printed on jar) for amount of spraying to be done. Attach to hose and start spraying. That's all there is to it! The water pressure does the work. Sprays all liquid and soluble chemicals—and also hard-to-spray wettable powders such as lead arsenate, bordeaux, wettable sulphur, etc. Handy control valve graduates from shut-off to full spray. Sprays liquid and soluble plant foods. To resist corrosion, all working parts are solid brass. Back-siphonage protection built in. Easy to use—All Instructions included.

PRICED, Complete with 2 Nozzles, only

\$4.95

(Postpaid)

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MAGIC LILY

A5 - MAGIC LILY

Hardy Amaryllis
(Lycoris Squamiger)

This develops in a magical fashion that you will find most unusual. In the spring it has attractive green leaves which during July die down and disappear. Then four or five weeks later the flower stalks develop, bringing charming clusters of large, lily-like blooms of soft lilac-pink that are long lasting and fine for cutting. It is well to mark your plants with a stake so that after the leaves are gone you will not hoe up the bulbs. Cover the bulbs with about 4 inches of soil; should be mulched in late fall. **Select, Blooming-Size Bulbs.** 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.25, postpaid.

PLANT CANNAS IN LATE SPRING when the ground is warm, 15 to 18 inches apart each way. Set the roots 2 to 3 inches deep in rich, mellow soil in a sunny location. An application of Ra-Pid-Gro shortly before the blooms start will increase the size of the flowers. In the fall when the frost has killed the tops, dig immediately. Expose them to the sun for a few hours so that roots will dry off, then store in a cool place, buried in Peat Moss or sand to prevent drying or shriveling.

G80—10 Ft. Canna Circle

- 1 RED KING HUMBERT
- 6 YELLOW KING HUMBERT
- 12 HUNGARIA
- 18 ROSAMOND COLE

These 37 Brilliant
Cannas, only **\$5.50**
(Postpaid)

CANNAS

Large Flowering

Most Imposing of All Bedding Flowers! All summer long their gigantic, brilliant flowers and handsome foliage make a grand display in beds and borders.

Choose from these Finest Improved Varieties:

G81—COPPER GIANT. Immense heads of rich salmon pink on a tall plant. Very fine. 4½ ft. Foliage green.

G82—HUNGARIA. Immense, satiny rose-pink blooms; blue-green foliage. 3½-4 ft.

G83—RED KING HUMBERT. Gigantic heads of velvety orange-scarlet rose-tinted; bronze foliage. 4½-5 ft.

G84—RICHARD WALLACE. Beautiful canary yellow Canna; green foliage. 3½-4 ft.

G85—ROSAMOND COLE. Beautiful dwarf Canna. Extremely large red flowers are edged with yellow. 2½ ft. Green foliage.

G86—THE PRESIDENT. Most popular of all red Cannas; extra large blooms of intense scarlet. Green foliage. 4 ft.

G87—YELLOW KING HUMBERT. Deep rich yellow, heavily spotted with red. Green foliage. 4-4½ ft.

Strong, 2-5 eye. Blooming-Size Roots

30c each ★ 5 for \$1.20 ★ 10 for \$1.85
20 for \$3.40
(POSTPAID)

G88—Canna Border

- 5 COPPER GIANT
- 5 HUNGARIA
- 5 RICHARD WALLACE
- 5 RED KING HUMBERT
- 5 THE PRESIDENT

These 25 Handsome
Cannas, only **\$3.98**
(Postpaid)

G90—7 Ft. Canna Circle

- 1 COPPER GIANT
- 6 RICHARD WALLACE
- 12 THE PRESIDENT

These 19 Ferris
Cannas, only **\$3.22**
(Postpaid)



HARDY FERNS

Fine for Shade! They add woodland beauty to the landscape; lovely in bouquets. Hardy, coming up year after year.

- F80—INTERRUPTED.** Excellent in foundation plantings. Shade or semi-shade. 2-4 ft. at maturity.
- F81—LADY.** Lovely, fine, delicate leaves of variable form. Sun or shade. 1-2 ft. at maturity.
- F82—MAIDENHAIR.** Beautiful American fern that is fine for shady banks or rockeries. Nice to use in shady spots with Bleeding Heart or wild flowers. 1 ft.
- F83—OSTRICH PLUME.** Handsome fronds for shady foundation or border, or for along a stream or lake. Likes rich, moist, porous soil. 2-4 ft. at maturity.
- F84—CHRISTMAS FERN.** Also called Hardy Sword Fern. Beautiful evergreen foliage, and grows from 12 to 18 inches tall.

YOUR CHOICE—Any of the five Ferns described above:

50c Each ★ 2 for 90c ★ 5 for \$1.85 (Postpaid)

PLANT ALL FERNS in shade or semi-shade, mixing peat or leaf-mold in the soil. Interrupted, Lady and Maidenhair Ferns should be set one-half inch below the surface, the Ostrich Plume with "knob" 1 to 3 inches above surface. Mulch with leaf mold or with dried leaves about 2 inches. Water well when planting and during dry spells the first summer and fall. Mulch with several inches of leaves every fall after freezing.)



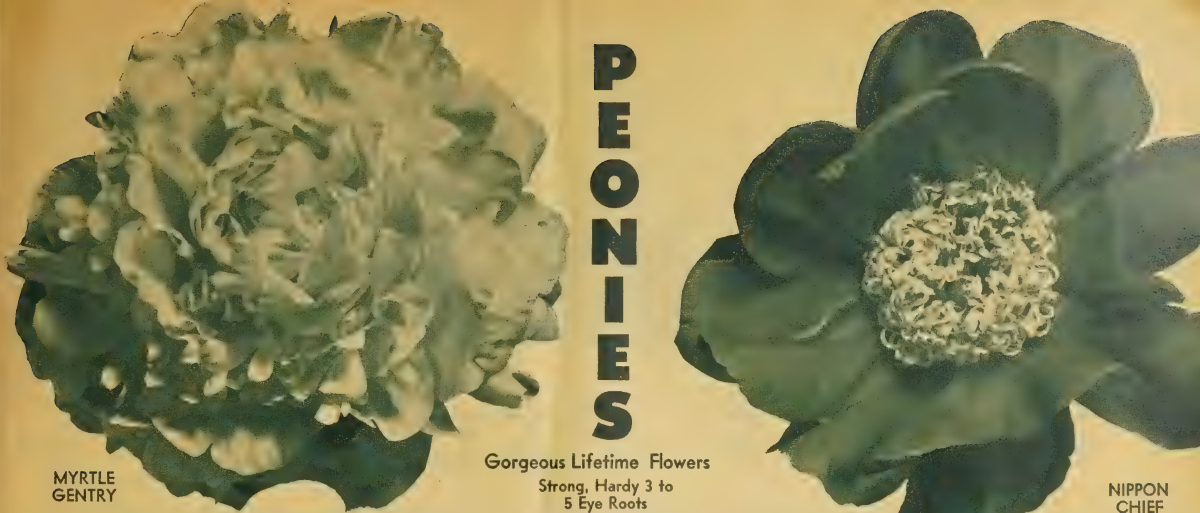
TIGRIDIA

A6—TIGRIDIA. Tiger Flower. Big cup-shaped blooms of brilliant colors open with the rising sun, then close at sundown—a grand succession of them throughout the summer. The flaring blooms with their spotted centers, borne on 24-in. stems, make a beautiful splash in the border. Plant eight or more for best effects. Set the bulbs 2 inches deep and 4 inches apart in rather loose, well drained soil, in a sunny location; give them an abundance of moisture during the growing period. Dig bulbs before freezing weather in the fall and store same as Dahlias. Our very fine mixture contains red, pink, yellow, rose, wine red and white. **Blooming-size Bulbs.** 4 for 50¢; 8 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.39; 25 for \$2.40, postpaid.



TUBEROSE

A9—TUBEROSE. Very Fragrant. Waxen White Flowers. clustered on 30-in spikes, July to frost. Very fine for cutting; a single spike will scent an entire room. Plant 10-12 inches apart in groups of 3 or more, covering with 2 inches of soil. Do not plant until ground is warm. Dig and store bulbs during winter the same as Glads. **Blooming-Size Bulbs:** 25c each; 3 for 50¢; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.



MYRTLE
GENTRY

Gorgeous Lifetime Flowers

Strong, Hardy 3 to
5 Eye Roots
(ALL POSTPAID)

NIPPON
CHIEF

4 "DELUXE" PEONIES

Each a Garden Masterpiece

P400—LONGFELLOW. Brilliant fadeless cherry-red, intensified by golden stamens in center. Great prize winner, and the outstanding red. A striking Peony for cutting or for garden display. \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.75. postpaid.

P401—MYRTLE GENTRY. The very loveliest of all Peonies. Gigantic flowers of perfect rose form, color a melting soft pink with tints of flesh and salmon; tea rose fragrance. Late. \$2.00 each; 2 for \$3.75. postpaid.

P402—OFFICINALIS RUBRA. The famous red Memorial Day Peony that is so much in demand. Large round blooms of vivid crimson have a light cinnamon fragrance, and open up very early in the season. No other red takes the place of this variety. \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.30. postpaid.

P403—WALTER FAXON. Rates 9.3, and is considered one of the great Peonies of all times. Medium to large blooms of rich, glowing salmon-pink, no other variety having the same luminous color. Midseason. \$1.35 each; 2 for \$2.50. postpaid.

P404—"DELUXE" COMBINE. Four Grand Champion Peonies—one each of the outstanding varieties in the "Deluxe" group.

Postpaid, only

\$5.00

Plant Peonies in good rich soil in an open, sunny location if possible, with the eyes no more than 2 inches below the surface. Roots should be spread out well, and the earth packed firmly around them. Shallow cultivation through the summer is recommended.

5 "FAMOUS" PEONIES

Prize Winning Beauties

P405—EUGENE VERDIER. Large, compact blooms of vivid rose-pink softening at center to a lighter, luminous pink; pleasing fragrance. Robust in habit; heavy bloomer. An impressive late Peony. \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.85. postpaid.

P406—KARL ROSENFELD. Elegant blooms of intense crimson, large and full. Late midseason. It never fails to produce a wealth of bloom on tall, strong stems. One of the best reds. \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.85. postpaid.

P407—FRANCES WILLARD. Extremely large flowers of perfect form open blush white with yellow suffusion in collar, and bear an occasional carmine tip. Late midseason. Listed among the world's 20 most beautiful Peonies. \$1.00 each; 2 for \$1.85. postpaid.

P408—MARY BRAND. Very Peony—rich, deep, crimson-red with a brilliant sheen. Super fine flowering, and is especially fine in bouquets. Great prize winner. Midseason. \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.30. postpaid.

P409—OZARK BEAUTY. Large, compact, rose type flowers of radiant dark pink. Free bloomer on heavy stems; late. One of the loveliest of the dark pink Peonies—a real treasure in garden bouquets. \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.30. postpaid.

P410—"FAMOUS" PEONIES COMBINE. Five Extra Fine Peonies—one each of the popular varieties in the "Famous" Group.

Postpaid, only

\$4.35

2 JAPANESE PEONIES

For Pure Landscape Adornment, these Famous "Singles" Have No Equal. Wonderful Cut Flowers.

P411—HARRIET OLNEY. Very large, beautiful blooms of soft rose-pink with golden stamens in center. Strong, straight stems hold flower erect. Superb either in the garden or in bouquets. Midseason. \$1.50 each; 2 for \$2.75. postpaid.

P412—NIPPON CHIEF. Highest rated red semi-double. Guards rich, velvety dark madder-red; center golden yellow, slightly streaked red. Very fragrant; very late. \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.30. postpaid.

4 "FAVORITE" PEONIES

Large Doubles, Richly Colored

P414—AUGUSTE DESSERT. Unusual and handsome Peony with large double blooms of wheel-like form; color an intense velvety carmine pink with distinctive border of silver. Midseason. 90c each; 2 for \$1.65. postpaid.

P415—EDULIS SUPREMA. Early Decoration Day Peony. Large, fragrant blooms of bright rose pink are fine for cutting. 90c each; 2 for \$1.65. postpaid.

P416—DELACHEI. Showy, light crimson; late midseason. Large well formed flowers, and an extremely heavy bloomer. 85c each; 2 for \$1.55. postpaid.

P417—MARTHA BULLOCH. For years Martha Bulloch has been in the top-ranking bracket. Gigantic flowers, sometimes 12 inches across—very double, the color bright old-rose-pink with softer highlights; delicate rosette fragrance; late. Tall, strong stems support the big, lovely flowers. A grand Peony in the garden or in bouquets. \$1.25 each; 2 for \$2.30. postpaid.

P418—"FAVORITE" PEONIES COMBINE. Four Handsome Peonies—one each of the varieties in the "Favorite" Group.

Postpaid, only

\$2.95

HOW TO ORDER

Order Early. This automatically gives you first selection of stock, and we can give your order more personal service if booked before our heavy rush season starts. Orders are booked as they are received but shipments are not made until the proper time to plant, unless otherwise requested. We are so organized that we can handle thousands of orders daily. There are four large railroads out of Hampton, several commercial truck lines, and we have good shipping connections to all parts of the United States.

Quantity Prices. We sell five trees of a variety at the ten rate, 50 at the 100 rate unless otherwise priced. Less than five of one variety at the each rate. **No Charge for Packing,** except orders under \$1.00. Add 25c extra for any order under \$1.00.

In Sending Money you may remit by check, draft, or money order, or if cash by registered mail. Please do not send stamps as remittance with orders. On orders up to and including \$5.00, we require all cash with order. On orders amounting to more than \$5.00, we require either all cash with order, or, if customer prefers, one-fourth cash with order, balance C.O.D.

In Case of Error or Shortage, please write us immediately. Check over your order carefully, searching through the package for any small items that you may have ordered, and if there are any errors, notify us at once, stating number of boxes or boxes you have received. Should no complaint be made within 10 days from receipt of goods, it will be mutually understood that the order is satisfactory. Do not return stock unless so instructed by us, for we cannot give credit for returned goods. **For shipments that arrive damaged, see Guarantee on page 2.**

It is Our Policy to Furnish Stock Exactly as Ordered, but in case a variety is sold out, we reserve the right to fill your order with a similar variety of equal or greater value. Please state definitely on your order if you do not wish us to substitute.

Parcel Post Shipments. If nursery stock is ordered by parcel post and no money included for postal charges, we will send the trees or plants as directed. If possible, with the understanding you will remit postage as soon as goods are received. Large orders by parcel post will be sent with the postage C.O.D. If the size or weight of the bundle is outside of the parcel post limit, or contains stock difficult to handle by parcel post, we reserve the right to change the routing to express or truck freight, so be sure to give us your shipping address if different than post office.

Our prices are all F.O.B. Hampton, Iowa, unless otherwise specified.

No Cancellations. We cannot cancel orders after they are once entered. The stock is automatically checked off and reserved for a customer when the order is booked.

BARCAIN COLLECTIONS CANNOT BE DIVIDED OR CHANGED IN ANY MANNER

In Shipping Evergreens the larger sizes will have to go by express or truck freight. The individually wrapped specimens are shipped by express. Seedlings, light transplants and also the heavy windbreak trees are packed as a unit, their roots in substantial packing material and then baled and wrapped; they are never Balled or Burlrapped as they are grown too close in the rows to ball satisfactorily. Baled specimens evergreens are shipped by express or truck freight—see further particulars on page 35.

Federal and State Quarantines. Where new Federal or State Quarantine or shipping regulations are enacted, we reserve the right to return the purchaser's money because of additional labor and handling costs which we cannot assume with our present staff.

Sales Tax. Iowa customers, please include the 2% required in your remittance, or correct rate if changed by Iowa Legislature.



A7—ELEPHANT'S EAR

Caladium esculentum. Big, deep green, tropical leaves often 3 ft. long and 1 1/2 ft. wide; plant grows 4-5 ft. tall. Fine to grow by pools, along the foundation, or use to hide unattractive places. Needs rich soil, sunlight or shade. Plant 3 to 4 ft. apart and 5 to 6 inches deep. Will not winter outside. **Select bulbs:** 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.45. postpaid.



A8—FANCY-LEAVED CALADIUM

Most Beautiful of All Foliage Plants—ideal for shady spots in the garden, for window boxes and pots. Leaves of the most delightful color and patterns from early summer to late fall. Gives best results in rich, well drained soil but must have plenty of water. Plant in late spring, 12-18 inches apart, and 3-4 inches deep. Before freezing in the fall dig and store like Cannas. We offer a fine mixture. **Select bulbs,** 40c each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.45. postpaid.



ROSA MULTIFLORA



PRIVET HEDGE

FERRIS' HEDGES



THUNBERG'S BARBERRY



BLUE LEAF HEDGING

BEAUTIFUL LIVING FENCES

See Planting Directions
for Hedges on Page 25.



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SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI



ZABEL'S RED HONEYSUCKLE

AMERICAN ARBOR-VITAE HEDGE

ROTHOMAGENSIS LILAC HEDGE

CHINESE HEDGEWOOD

Our Fine, Hardy Plants Will Develop a Lovely Frame for Your Landscape—furnishing privacy without obstructing the view. Use Ferris' tall screen hedges to shut off unsightly buildings or objects, or to give seclusion to the outdoor living room.

E11—American Arbor-Vitae. (White Cedar). The Finest Evergreen for Hedges. See description and prices for other sizes on page 32. On account of its beautiful lacy foliage, ease in transplanting, and the fact that it withstands shearing better than any other variety, it is the most popular evergreen for hedge purposes. Plant 2 ft. apart in the hedge row; likes lots of moisture. This beautiful, year-round American Arbor-Vitae hedge pictured above is growing on the farm of Fred L. Meyer, a few miles north of Iowa Falls, Iowa.

	10	25	50	100
(h) 12-15 in., seedlings	\$2.00	\$4.00	\$ 6.80	\$12.50
(d) 18-24 in., transplants, 2X	4.50	8.75	15.00	27.50

H1—Amoor River North Privet. (Ligustrum Amurense). The Hedge. Hardest of all Russian Privets, and the only Privet to use for hedge planting in the North. Thick, compact grower, with dense, shiny green leaves that remain on the plant until late in the season. Frequent shearing gives a very formal effect and you can maintain a hedge of any desired height. Plant 12 inches apart in the hedge row, setting them deeply so that the lower branches come below the surface of the ground, then trim back the tops one-third to one-half to develop a dense, solid hedge from the ground up. See picture on opposite page.

	10	25	50	100
(a) 9-12 in., sturdy hedging	\$1.65	\$3.25	\$ 5.50	\$10.00
(b) 2-3 ft., heavy	4.00	8.50	14.00	25.00

H2—Dwarf Blue-Leaf Arctic Hedging. (Salix purpurea nana). Ideal Low Border or Edge. Charming, low growing plant that is hardy everywhere, and is so fine for edging. Very dwarf and bushy, with thick, fine foliage of lovely gray-blue-green. Just the plant for low borders around beds or along walks, or in the formal garden. Plant 8 inches apart, and can be clipped formally or left natural. Single specimens are delightful in the rock garden. Discovered north of the Arctic Circle, it is completely hardy and will thrive in almost any type of soil.

	10	25	50	100
10-15 in., sturdy hedging	\$3.50	\$7.00	\$11.00	\$19.50

H3—Thunberg's Green-Leaf Barberry. (Berberis thunbergii). Favorite. Hardy, All-Purpose Hedge. Beautiful, rounded, compact plant full of sharp thorns, and heavily covered with small, bright green leaves that turn to brilliant crimson in autumn. Scarlet berries load the branches in the fall and last long into the winter. Hardy everywhere, and will grow in partial shade as well as sun. Wonderful for hedges and ornamental clumps. Plant 12 to 18 inches apart in the hedge row, and may or may not be trimmed as desired.

	10	25	50	100
(a) 12-15 in., ligat hedging	\$2.80	\$5.50	\$ 9.00	\$16.50
(b) 18-24 in., heavy transplants	4.50	8.50	15.00	28.50

H4—Zabel's Red Honeysuckle. (Lonicera tatarica Zabeli). Finest Tall Screen Hedge. You cannot equal the lovely Zabel Honeysuckle (Improved Red Tartarian) for the tall screen or background. It grows rapidly, has thick, healthy foliage, an abundance of beautiful dark red flowers in June followed by a good crop of bright red berries. Hardy in all sections. Can be trimmed to form a medium hedge, or will grow 8 to 10 feet high when allowed to develop naturally. Plant 24 inches apart in the hedge row.

	10	25	50	100
(a) 9-12 in., sturdy hedging	\$3.00	\$6.00	\$11.00	\$18.75
(b) 18-24 in., select transplants	4.00	8.75	15.00	28.50

H5—American Cranberry-Bush. (Viburnum americanum trilobum). Handsome. Semi-Tall Hedge or Background Shrub, famous for its wealth of ornamental scarlet berries. In keeping with the Viburnum background, it has such sterling qualities as extreme hardiness, beauty of foliage, flower and fruit, and a way of developing in perfect harmony with the landscape. Rapid in growth, and does well in sun or light shade. 8-9 ft. at maturity. See more complete description on page 41. Plant 3-3½ ft. apart.

	10	25	50	100
8-12 in., light hedging	\$4.50	\$8.50	\$15.00	\$28.50

H6—Chinese Hedgewood. (Dwarf Ulmus pumila). Very Hardy, Fast Growing, Attractive, Low Priced. A great favorite all over the country. It grows extremely fast, is completely hardy, and makes a very compact as well as a fine looking hedge. Thick branches are densely covered with artistic, fine leaves from early spring until late fall. The more you shear it, the more densely it grows. With close pruning, you can develop a beautiful 3-4 ft. hedge, or is especially suitable for 6-10 ft. screen and background hedge. Plant 1 foot apart; set the plants deeply and cut their tops back close to the ground.

	10	25	50	100
(a) 12-18 in., sturdy hedging	\$1.25	\$2.50	\$3.50	\$6.00
(b) 18-24 in., sturdy hedging	1.60	3.00	5.55	9.00

S74—Rothomagensis Lilac. (Syringa chinensis). Finest Lilac for right grower, the plant heavily covered with large, lacy clusters of vivid rosy-lilac, leaves narrow and distinctive. Blooms just after the French Lilacs. Grows 8 to 10 ft. tall, and makes a wonderful background screen or hedge. Hardy everywhere. Plant 3½-4 ft. apart. See picture at top of page.

	10	25	50	100
18-24 in., sturdy transplants	\$6.50	\$13.75	\$25.00	\$45.00

H7—Rosa Multiflora. Living Rose Fence. Rosa Multiflora is an excellent, tight hedge fence for large areas, beautiful in or out of bloom. It has numerous thorns, it develops in a few years into an erect, 8-ft. stock-proof hedge. It holds down fence line weeds, it does not rob the soil around it, nor does it spread like the old Osage Orange. Wonderful for bird sanctuaries, a splendid snow fence, and ideal for erosion control; Rosa Multiflora has been strongly recommended by the State Conservation Board. In early June the plants are profusely covered with lovely white single roses; the leaves come early in the spring and stay on until late fall. It requires no clipping, no training, no supports. Plant 1 ft. apart.

	25	50	100
9-18 in., hedging	\$2.50	\$7.45	\$13.85

H8—Spirea Van Houttei. (Bridal Wreath). Magnificent Flowering Hedge. Planted 2 or 3 ft. apart and allowed to grow naturally, it develops a medium tall hedge of real grace and beauty — beautiful in or out of bloom. Also makes a remarkably fine formal hedge when planted 1 ft. apart and kept sheared low, growing compactly to the ground. Entirely hardy, quick growing, and thrives well in sun or partial shade. (See full description on page 41.)

	10	25	50	100
(a) 1 ft. sturdy hedging	\$2.80	\$5.50	\$ 9.00	\$16.50
(b) 2-3 ft., select transplants	3.85	8.15	15.00	27.50

H9—Dwarf Ninebark. (Physocarpus opulifolius nana). Fine, New, dwarf strain of Ninebark naturally grows compact and uniform, and develops wonderful borders and hedges. White flowers and red berries in season, with foliage richly colored in the fall. Untrimmed it makes a neat, attractive hedge 3½-4 ft. tall, or with a little clipping merges into a beautiful formal hedge. Plant 18 inches apart in the hedge row.

	10	25	50	100
12-18 in., transplants	\$5.00	\$10.00	\$17.50	\$30.00

R5—F. J. Grootendorst Rose. Beautiful Red Rose Hedge. Wonderful everywhere, and requires no winter protection. Grootendorst is the Everblooming Rugosa, with abundant clusters of bright carnation rose-red blooms all summer; handsome foliage. See color photo and more complete description at foot of page 58. Plant 2 ft. apart for close hedge.

	10	25	50	100
2-yr. select	\$7.50	\$17.50	\$34.00	\$65.00

Floribunda Roses are ideal for hedges and borders.

See fine offers on pages 58, 59 and 60.

See Planting Directions for Hedges on Page 25.



SPIREA ARGUTA



BLUE MIST



SNOWBALL



ZABEL'S RED HONEYSUCKLE



GOLDEN ELDER



WEIGELA ROSEA



TAMARIX

S10—BLUE MIST. (Caryopteris) This lovely Blue Spirea is one of the most popular of the dwarf shrubs. A cloud of fringed, powder-blue flowers covers the low rounded plant in August through fall, which are fine for cutting. The graceful mound grows only about 2 feet tall; fine foliage is silvery green. A splendid, hardy plant for the flower border, the ranchhouse foundation, or for foreground of shrub plantings.

	Each	2	5
12-18 in.	\$0.90	\$1.60	\$3.85

S11—SPIREA ARGUTA. Snow Garland. In May and early June, innumerable white flowers crowd the slender, artistic branches, making it one of the showiest of the early blooming Spiraeas. Excellent for foundation and border planting, seldom growing over 3 or 4 feet tall. Very hardy.

	Each	2	5
12-18 in., transplants	\$0.75	\$1.35	\$3.00

S12—SPIREA BILLIARDI ROSEA. (Lilac Spirea). Long, plummy, soft pink blooms cover the plant in July; ornamental gray-green foliage. Handsome, hardy plant for foundation groups or hedges. 4-5 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
2-3 ft., select	\$0.75	\$1.35	\$3.00



AZALEA MOLLISS

S14—SNOWBALL, COMMON. (Viburnum opulus sterile). That good old-time plant handed down from our grandmothers' gardens, with a profusion of large, ball-shaped blooms in May and early June. Thrives well in shade as well as sun. Excellent in landscape borders and backgrounds, and a favorite for cemetery planting. 6-8 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
(a) 2-3 ft., select	\$0.85	\$1.60	\$3.75
(b) 3-4 ft., select	1.00	1.85	4.45

S15—ZABEL'S RED HONEYSUCKLE. (Lonicera tatarica zabelii). Outstanding tall shrub, splendid for screening unsightly views, for backgrounds, or as shapely specimens on the lawn. Delightful crimson flowers in May and June are followed by scarlet berries, thick, attractive foliage. Grows rapidly, is hardy everywhere; does well in sunlight or shade. 8-10 ft. at maturity, yet easily sheared to any desired height. See special hedging prices on page 39.

	Each	2	5
(a) 18-24 in., transplants	\$0.55	\$0.95	\$2.15
(b) 3-4 ft., heavy75	1.35	3.00

S16—GOLDEN ELDER. (Sambucus aurea). The golden beauty of its foliage contrasts richly with the green of other shrubs. Immense flower heads are of pure white, and are followed by purplish berries that are edible. 6-8 ft. at maturity but easily trimmed to any desired size. Plant in full sunlight.

	Each	2	5
18-24 in., transplants	\$0.55	\$0.95	\$2.15

S18—AZALEA MOLLISS. The Shrub with the Flaming Flowers. Clusters of large, waxen blooms completely cover the 3 to 4 ft. graceful shrub in May and June—rich shades of salmon, orange and flame pink. Plant in full sun (in light shade in the South), in soil generously mixed with leaf mold and acid peat in about equal proportions. Each fall a top dressing of well rotted manure will induce finer blossoms. As flowers fade remove at once so that they will not go to seed, watering freely in dry weather. Do not cultivate. In northern sections cover through the winter the same as roses (see page 57). Mixed only.

	Each	2	5
15-18 in., specimens	\$1.88	\$3.50	\$9.50

S19—TAMARIX HISPIDA. We think this the hardest and finest Tamarix. A plant of unusual charm—delicate, feathery, silvery-blue foliage, its graceful branches tipped with loose sprays of bright pink flowers, giving a pink and silver mist effect. Grows 8 to 12 feet tall, but can be kept pruned down to smaller proportions. Fine for corners and mass plantings, and a lovely specimen shrub. Does well in sun or light shade.

	Each	2	5
(a) 2-3 ft., heavy	\$0.75	\$1.35	\$3.00
(b) 3-4 ft., heavy	1.00	1.85	4.45

S20—WEIGELA ROSEA. (Florida). Bushy, spreading plant with beautiful, trumpet-shaped blooms of rosy pink. Very popular and an elegant shrub for specimen planting or foundation groups. 5-8 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
2-3 ft., select	\$0.75	\$1.35	\$3.00

S21—WHITE KERRIA. (Rhododendron kerrioides). Beautiful, plaited, light green foliage, lovely white flowers and jet black fruits. A desirable and valuable landscape shrub. Thrives well in sunlight or light shade. 4-6 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
2-3 ft., select	\$0.75	\$1.35	\$3.00

S22—DWARF NINEBARK. (Physocarpus opulifolius nana). New hardy landscape shrub that makes an excellent plant, and is wonderful for borders and hedges. Seldom does it grow more than 3-4 ft. tall—a compact, shapely plant that has attractive white flowers in June followed by a quantity of red berries that later turn purple. In the fall the leaves change to brilliant red and orange. See special hedging prices on page 39.

	Each	2	5
3-4 ft., select, heavy	\$0.75	\$1.35	\$3.00

S23—RED-TWIGGED DOGWOOD. (Cornus sibirica). Blood-red branches add cheeriness to the wintertime landscape. In summer bright green foliage, creamy white flowers and pearly fruit. Grows well in sun or shade. Very fine for mass plantings, naturalizing, or to combine with other favorites in the tall border. 5-8 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
3-4 ft., heavy	\$0.85	\$1.60	\$3.75

HARDY FLOWERING



SPIREA
FROEBELI



SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI



AMERICAN CRANBERRY-BUSH



FRENCH PUSSY WILLOW



GOLDEN IBOTA



RED-LEAF BARBERRY



COTONEASTER

SHRUBS

S24—FRENCH PUSSY WILLOW. (*Salix discolor* hybrid). Fine, cultivated French variety producing many pinkish-pearl-grey, furry catkins, one to two inches long. Their tip branches cut in January or February and placed in water make lovely winter and spring bouquets. Develops a good rounded shrub, also desirable as tall screen or background. 8 to 10 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
18-24 in., transplants	\$0.85	\$1.60	\$3.75

S25—SPIREA FROEBELI. Beautiful, clustered, rose-colored flowers in May and June, with recurring flowers throughout the summer; leaves tipped with maroon in spring and fall. Hardy and drought-resisting, does well everywhere. Of spreading habit, rarely over 3 feet tall; very popular for borders and groups.

	Each	2	5
10-15 in., transplants	\$0.70	\$1.25	\$2.85

S26—SPIREA WHITE. (*Symphoricarpos racemosus*). Miniature rose-pink flowers on a medium low plant followed by beautiful clusters of porcelain-white berries. Fine for shady spots, or as a filler in the border. 3-4 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
2-3 ft., transplants	\$0.60	\$1.10	\$2.50

S27—SNOWBERRY, IMPROVED RED. (*S. chenaultii*). Finest of the red type, and delightful in combination with the White Snowberry. Dainty foliage and large coral-red berries. 3-4 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
2-3 ft., transplants	\$0.60	\$1.10	\$2.50

(S28) CORNER LAWN SPECIAL

- 1 Forsythia Spectabilis
- 1 French Pussy Willow
- 1 Snowball
- 1 Spirea Van Houttei
- 1 Tamarix Hippida

2 ft. average

Five Favorite Hardy Shrubs

Ideal for decorating a corner of the lawn, or to shut off an undesirable view.
for only

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S29—SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI. The Famous Bridal Wreath. So universally known and loved that no description is necessary. In May and June the graceful, drooping sprays are completely covered with pure white blossoms. Hardy everywhere, beautiful in or out of bloom, and answers almost any purpose. In foundation groups, in screens or trimmed hedges, or as an individual specimen, the beautiful Spirea Van Houttei stands supreme. 4-6 ft. at maturity. (Special hedge sizes on page 39).

	Each	2	5
(a) 2-3 ft., select	\$0.70	\$1.25	\$2.85
(b) 3-4 ft., heavy	.90	1.60	3.85

S30—GOLDEN IBOTA. (*Viburnum*). New. Beautiful. Golden Privet. Splendid, rugged plant with leaves of clear yellow. A wonderful and colorful shrub for contrast in mixed plantings, and develops a very striking hedge. Plant it in full sunlight. 3½-4 ft. at maturity, but easily clipped to smaller proportions.

	Each	2	5
12-18 in., transplants	\$1.00	\$1.85	\$4.40

S31—GREEN-LEAF JAPANESE BARBERRY. (*Thunbergii*). Popular, useful, thorny shrub. Round, bushy and graceful in growth, with bright green foliage turning to brilliant red in the fall. Scarlet berries in fall and winter. Splendid for foundation groups, borders and hedges. 3-5 ft. at maturity; does well in sun or light shade. (See hedging prices on page 39.)

	Each	2	5
18-24 in., heavy transplants	\$0.60	\$1.10	\$2.50

S32—RED-LEAF JAPANESE BARBERRY. (*Thun. atropurpurea*). Attractive bronze-red foliage gives best color effects when planted in FULL SUNLIGHT. Especially showy and rich in the foreground of shrub or evergreen groups. Excellent in combination with Golden Mock Orange. Very thorny; red berries in fall and winter. 2-3 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
18-24 in., heavy transplants	\$1.00	\$1.85	\$4.40

S33—CRIMSON PYGMY BARBERRY. The new miniature form of Red-leaf Barberry, introduced from Holland. Of slow growth, each plant develops round and full and has delightful color tones. The old leaves are bronzy blood-red, with new growth tips that are several shades lighter. Splendid for foreground, low foundation, or to edge walks or flower beds. Plant in full sunlight for best foliage color.

	Each	2	5
No. 1 plants	\$1.25	\$2.35	\$5.55

S34—AMERICAN CRANBERRY-BUSH. (*Viburnum americanum trilobum*). Beautiful native shrub with slender drooping branches, flat heads of creamy-white flowers, bright scarlet clustered berries that make good jelly, and attractive foliage that turns to rich red in autumn. Fine for specimen planting, as well as for borders and screens. 8-9 ft. at maturity. (We offer a special hedging grade on page 39.) Sun or light shade.

	Each	2	5
2-3 ft., select	\$0.85	\$1.60	\$3.75

S37—REGEL'S PRIVET. (*Ligustrum obtusifolium regelianum*). Low, spreading, graceful shrub in much demand for foundation groups and borders. Thick, dark green, glossy foliage, attractive white flowers and dark blue berries. Does well in shade. 3-4 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
18-24 in., heavy	\$0.85	\$1.60	\$3.75

S35 — COTONEASTER ACUTIFOLIA. Canadian Privet. Handsome, glossy, bright green leaves give polish to foundation groups and landscape borders. Rich scarlet colors in the fall, and jet black ornamental fruit. Very hardy, and will do well in light shade. We consider it one of the best landscape shrubs. 4-6 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
2-3 ft., select	\$0.85	\$1.60	\$3.75

S36—FORSYTHIA SPECTABILIS. Golden Bell. Springtime's golden queen, bearing great masses of bright yellow flowers before a leaf appears. It is the earliest of all shrubs to bloom in the spring, and should be in every border or foundation group. Spectabilis is very hardy. 5-8 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
3-4 ft., heavy	\$0.85	\$1.55	\$3.75

(See Planting Directions for Shrubs on Page 25.)





CARDINAL
WEIGELA
(Upper left)

MAYFLOWER VIBURNUM

GOLDEN MOCK ORANGE



FLOWERING
ALMOND



FORSYTHIA
LYNWOOD
GOLD



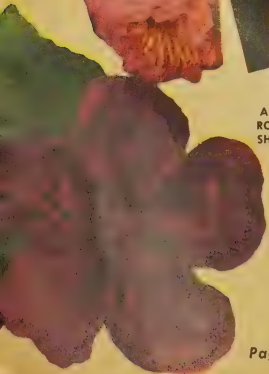
FLOWERING QUINCE



BEAUTY BUSH



VIRGINAL
MOCK ORANGE



ALTHEA
ROSE OF
SHARON

S39 - "QUALITY" SHRUB OFFER

- 1 Pink Flowering Almond, 2-3 ft.
- 1 Althea, Rose of Sharon, 15-18 in.
- 1 Beauty Bush, 3-4 ft.
- 1 Flowering Quince, 12-18 in.
- 1 Forsythia Lynwood Gold, 18-24 in.
- 1 Golden Mock Orange, 12-15 in.
- 1 Mayflower Viburnum, 15-18 in.
- 1 Virginal Mock Orange, 2-3 ft.
- 1 Cardinal Weigela, 12-18 in.

9 HIGH QUALITY SHRUBS. These colorful beauties are described and individually priced on page 43. (Regular catalog price, \$11.20)

FERRIS'
SPECIAL

\$8⁵⁰



New
Beautiful
DWARF BECHTEL'S
FLOWERING CRAB
(See page 43)



MINNESOTA SNOWFLAKE

New, Handsome
CYDONIA STANFORD RED

Quality SHRUBS

S40—CYDONIA STANFORD RED. The Finest, Hardy, Red Flowering Quince in Cultivation! The flowers are unusually large, opening geranium-red and deepening to an intense blood-red. The blooms are excellent for cutting and are very long lasting. The beautiful, sturdy shrub is almost thornless—a landscape "gem" for you who want the newest and finest in your home planting.

	Each	2	5
18-24 in., transplants	\$1.95	\$2.50	\$3.50

S41—FORSYTHIA LYNWOOD GOLD. Wonderful new Forsythia from Ireland. The sturdy, upright branches are simply smothered under brilliant yellow flowers from top to bottom—see picture on page 42. Also the individual blooms are fuller and of richer substance than the usual Forsythia blooms. For a great splash of yellow gold on your springtime landscape, there is nothing finer. Splendid for cutting and flowering in the house during the winter months. 5-7 ft. at maturity.

	Each	2	5
18-24 in., select	\$1.25	\$2.40	\$5.65

S42—GOLDEN MOCK ORANGE. (Philadelphus coronarius autumnal red). Beautiful, semi-dwarf shrub, developing a compact mound of bright yellow foliage, especially pronounced in the early growing season. In June it is covered with the regular Mock Orange blossoms, fragrant and white. Combines splendidly with evergreens in foundation and entrance plantings. With shrubs such as the Red Leaf Barberry, Dwarf Flame Bush and Purple Leaf Plum, it furnishes excellent contrast. Matured height about 4 ft. Hardy everywhere. Pictured on opposite page.

	Each	2	5
12-15 in., transplants	\$1.65	\$3.10	\$7.35

S43—CARDINAL WEIGELA. (Vaniceki). We strongly recommend this handsome, new, red-flowering Weigela. Heavy covering of showy bell-shaped flowers of glossy rose-crimson during spring and early summer, with scattered blooms in late summer and fall. It starts blooming the year it is set out, and will never disappoint you with its yearly abundance of brilliant trumpet flowers. Plant is hardy everywhere, develops a well formed specimen, attaining a matured height of 6-7 ft. The blooms are fine for cutting. This superb landscape shrub is pictured on page 42.

	Each	2	5
12-18 in., transplants	\$1.25	\$2.40	\$5.65

S44—DWARF BECHTEL'S FLOWERING CRAB. The beautiful Bechtel's Flowering Crab has been known and loved for years, with its crowning glory of double, delicate pink, rose-like flowers in May and June (see page 47). Now we have the brand new hybrid in DWARF form, growing about 4-5 ft. tall at maturity, with the same beautiful, fragrant flowers. Especially fine for the small grounds and ranch style home, and a good corner specimen for any home. Pictured in color on page 42.

	Each	2	5
2-3 ft., select	\$2.30	\$5.55	



CLAVEY'S DWARF HONEYSUCKLE

S45—MINNESOTA SNOWFLAKE. (Philadelphus, P. Pat. No. 538). Hardy, Fast Growing, Very Double Mock Orange. A mantle of large, snow-white, all double flowers on a shapely, graceful and rugged plant; exceptionally sweet scented. As a specimen it will grow to a height of 10 to 12 feet, but is easily kept to smaller proportions by shearing a little each year. Likes either sun or partial shade. Minnesota Snowflake is remarkably lovely and a great performer.

	Each	2	5
18-24 in., transplants	\$1.25	\$2.40	\$5.65

S46—VIBURNUM CARLCEPHALUM. Magnificent, New, Fragrant Snowball. (P. Pat. No. 776). Very hardy and quick growing, this new introduction from England develops a shapely, compact shrub 6 to 7 feet tall, profusely covered with large clusters of blossoms often 6 inches across, mostly rounded in form. These blooms of rich ivory white have the finest fragrance; foliage is thick and luxuriant, taking on brilliant fall colors. Easily sheared to any desired size. A beautiful ornamental for fine landscaping.

	Each	3
12-18 in., transplants	\$3.50	\$9.50

S47—FLOWERING QUINCE. (Cydonia japonica). Sometimes called "Firebush", for in May it is ablaze with clusters of beautiful flame-scarlet flowers. Glossy foliage. Very charming in combination with Forsythia or other early blooms, or in the foreground of evergreens. A splendid shrub, and in great favor everywhere. 2-4 ft. at maturity. Pictured in color on page 42.

	Each	2	5
12-18 in., heavy	\$0.85	\$1.60	\$3.75

S48—MAYFLOWER VIBURNUM. (Carlessi). The "Pink-Tinted Snowball"—shrub of great beauty, in early spring the semi-dwarf plant bears numerous delicate pink, waxen flowers that later change to white and are deliciously fragrant. Excellent foliage. 4-5 ft. at maturity. Sun or light shade. See color photo on page 42.

	Each	2	5
15-18 in., transplants	\$2.25	\$4.25	\$10.00

S49—FLOWERING ALMOND. (Prunus glandulosa). Lovely, double, roselike, bright pink flowers in very early spring. Like the first robin, you will welcome the refreshing beauty of the Flowering Almond on the spring landscape. Plant grows 4-6 ft. tall. See picture in color on opposite page.

	Each	2	5
2-3 ft., select	\$0.80	\$1.40	\$3.25

S50—BEAUTY BUSH. (Kolkwitzia amabilis). A fitting name for this readily beautiful, hardy plant from China, its drooping branches thickly covered with delicate pink, fragrant flowers in May and June. 4-6 ft. at maturity. Illustrated in color on page 42.

	Each	2	5
3-4 ft., select	\$1.35	\$2.50	\$5.50

S51—CLAVEY'S DWARF HONEYSUCKLE. (Lonicera compacta nana). Outstanding, New, Dwarf Shrub, so fine for the ranch house, low foundation or border. It develops a dense, compact globe, growing as broad as it does tall. Thick foliage of dark green, small yellow flowers in May, followed by red berries. It rarely grows more than 3 to 4 feet tall, and makes an excellent dwarf, compact hedge. Grows well in sun or light shade, is completely hardy and easy to grow. An all-round fine ornamental.

	Each	2	5
12-18 in., transplants	\$0.75	\$1.35	\$3.00



VIBURNUM CARLCEPHALUM



VARIEGATED DOGWOOD

S52—VARIEGATED DOGWOOD. (Cornus elegantissima). Handsome Foliage Has a Creamy White Edge. Splendid as a specimen or in group plantings. Bright red bark; flowers in early summer followed by berries. 4-6 ft. at maturity. Ideal for the north side or other shady spots; give it plenty of water in dry periods.

	Each	2	5
(a) 10-15 in., transplants	\$0.80	\$1.40	\$3.25
(b) 3-3 1/2 ft., select	1.35	2.50	5.50

S53—ALTHEA, ROSE OF SHARON. (Hibiscus syriacus). Handsome, double, crinkled flowers in late summer and fall; rich foliage. Great favorite in moderate climates for hedges, groups, or specimen planting. A 2-ft. mulch of straw should be used in the North during the winter months. 5-8 ft. at maturity. Pictured in color on page 42. Choice of (a) Pink, (b) Purple, (c) Red, or (d) White.

	Each	2	5
15-18 in., transplants	\$0.55	\$1.00	\$2.25

S54—VIRGINAL MOCK ORANGE. (Philadelphus virginialis). Superline Mock Orange with extra large, pure waxen white flowers, five to seven in a cluster, some single, some semi-double, some double, and have delicious fragrance. A long bloomer—in fact, nearly everblooming. 6-8 ft. at maturity. See picture on opposite page.

	Each	2	5
2-3 ft., select	\$1.25	\$2.35	\$5.00

BUDDLEIA
EMPIRE BLUE

DWARF FLAME BUSH
(Fall coloring)

HEAVENLY BLUE
CARYOPTERIS

BUDDLEIA
ROYAL RED

GOLD DROP
POTENTILLA

BUDDLEIA
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(S79) BUDDLEIA CLUMP

- 1 Empire Blue
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- 1 Royal Red
- 1 Snowbank

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(S72)

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- 1 Belle De Nancy
- 1 Michael Buchner
- 1 Charles X.
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1-2 ft., Sturdy Transplants

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(S55) 3 COLORFUL "DWARFS"

- 1 Dwarf Flame Bush, 12-15 in.
- 1 Gold Drop, 15-18 in.
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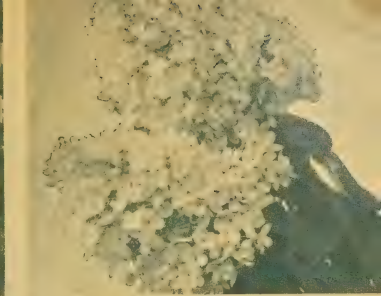
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Lovely CRAPE MYRTLE



HYDRANGEA
HILLS OF SNOW



HYDRANGEA P. G.

FINE LANDSCAPE SHRUBS

S56—CRAPE MYRTLE. (*Lagerstroemia indica*). Out of the South comes one of the most beautiful of all shrubs. Tall bushy plant is covered from midsummer until fall with immense clusters of lovely colorful flowers of crepe-like texture set off by glossy deep green foliage. Farther north where the tops die back in winter, it well protected like Hybrid Tea Roses they will come from the root and bloom on the new growth. Not recommended north of southern Iowa, and even in Missouri and southern Iowa should be well covered through the winter. All Crape Myrtle plants are slow starting the spring they are set out, often remaining dormant for several weeks, and the planter must be patient. Choice of (a) **Pink**, or (b) **Purple**.

Each 2 5
12-18 in., transplants \$0.65 \$1.20 \$2.75

S57—WILLIAM TOOVEY CRAPE MYRTLE. Very new, and considered the finest of all Crape Myrtle. Neat, compact plant has a solid covering of beautiful blooms, rich watermelon red in color. Full, large, handsome flowers even on small plants.

Each 2 5
12-18 in., transplants \$0.90 \$1.65 \$3.85

S58—HYDRANGEA HILLS OF SNOW. (*Arborescens grandiflora*). Grand summer blooming Hydrangea, pictured above. Immense, rounded flowers of pure white make a wonderful display from June to August; beautiful, heart-shaped, light green foliage. Does well in shade, and is especially fine for the north side of a house; handsome in borders. 3-5 ft. at maturity.

Each 2 5
18-24 in., transplants \$0.90 \$1.70 \$3.95

S59—HYDRANGEA P. G. (*Paniculata grandiflora*). Magnificent fall Hydrangea, famed for its huge, cone-shaped flowers of white that later are tinted pink and bronze, lasting for weeks. Fine for winter bouquets. Very hardy plant, doing best in a rather moist, semi-shady location. 3-5 ft. at maturity. Pictured at right above. One of the most popular shrubs of all times, and one of the most beautiful.

Each 2 5
18-24 in., transplants \$0.85 \$1.55 \$3.75

S60—DWARF FLAME-BUSH. (*Eumyrtus alatus compactus*). **Most Beautiful Fall Coloring!** See picture on page 44. This place should have one of these year-round beauties. Yellow flowers in the spring are followed by red berries. In late autumn, the deep green foliage turns to the most vivid copper-red-rose hues. The corky appearance of the bark adds unusual winter attraction. Plant grows slowly and compactly, seldom more than 5 feet tall; hardy everywhere. Outstanding for hedges and borders, and a splendid specimen.

Each 2 5
12-15 in., transplants \$1.88 \$3.50 \$8.25

S61—GOLD DROP. (*Potentilla frareri*). Myriads of brilliant yellow, Buttercup-like flowers on a compact, slightly irregular bush, seldom growing more than 2 ft. tall. Small, fernlike leaves thickly cover the plant, and make a fine background for the rich golden flowers that start in early July and continue until frost. Does best in full sunlight, and is very hardy. Ideal for edging shrub or perennial borders, or makes a delightful low hedge (planting 1 ft. apart). See color photo on opposite page.

Each 2 5
15-18 in., transplants \$1.38 \$2.55 \$5.95

S62—HEAVENLY BLUE. The New Deep Blue Caryopteris. (P. Pat. No. 109). This dark blue form of Blue Mist grows about 18 to 24 inches tall and 18 inches in diameter, one plant often producing 30 or more beautiful, deep blue flower spikes. For finest results, grow it in full sunlight, and in a light rather sandy soil. See picture of this splendid new shrub on page 44.

Each 3
No. 1 plants \$2.00 \$5.75

S63—SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER. The favorite low grower. Great masses of rose-crimson flowers envelop the plant in July, then scattered blooms until frost, hence often called "Everblooming Spirea". Ideal for edging, low hedges and foundation planting. 2-3 ft. at maturity. See picture at right.

Each 2 5
18-24 in., select \$0.90 \$1.65 \$3.85

S64—DWARF DEUTZIA. (*Gracilis*). Charming little shrub, low growing, bushy, covered with dainty white flowers in May-June. Excellent for foundation groups or edging; line to clump at the entrance walk. Pictured at right below.

Each 2 5
12-15 in., transplants \$0.90 \$1.65 \$3.85

FRENCH LILACS

(*Syringa vulgaris* hybrids)

Beautiful, Fragrant, Colorful! Blooms of these choice hybrids are enormous, full, often double, of exquisite color tints, and their fragrance fills the air. Many times they start blooming the first or second year after planting. As specimens on the lawn, in border or hedges, they are superb. 6-10 ft. at maturity.

S65—BELLE DE NANCY. Beautiful pink-tinted Lilac, large and double.

S66—CHARLES JOLY. Double, dark purple-red. Very fine.

S67—CHARLES X. Large flowers of rich wine-red. Fine for cutting.

S68—MADAME LeMOINE. Famous snow-white variety; large, double blooms.

S69—MICHAEL BUCHNER. Charming double flowers of dark violet softening to violet-blue.

S70—PRESIDENT GREVY. Large, double flowers of soft delicate blue.

S74—LILAC ROTHOMAGENSIS. Finest Hedge Lilac.

(*Syringa chinensis*)

The lovely, lacy Chinese Lilac—often called the Improved Persian Strong, upright branches are profuse with large, loosely clustered blooms of beautiful rose-lilac, distinctive narrow leaves. Excellent for foundation planting, and develops handsome hedges. Very hardy. 8-10 ft. at maturity. (See special hedging prices on page 38.)

BUDDLEIA—The Summer Lilacs

Often called BUTTERFLY BUSH because of their attraction to butterflies. We consider these four the finest of the newer hybrids. Plant several in your shrub or flower garden, as their lavish blooms, richly colored and fragrant, come at a time when flowers are scarce, and last a long time. Excellent for cutting. Snowbank is pictured at the right, while Empire Blue, Pink Dawn and Royal Red are shown in color on page 44. In colder sections, protect through the winter the same as perennials.

S75—EMPIRE BLUE. Magnificent blue flowers; finest of its color.

S76—PINK DAWN. New, extra fine, pink flowering Buddleia.

S77—ROYAL RED. Exceptionally fine purplish-red; well filled plumes.

S78—SNOWBANK. Beautiful all-white Buddleia.

FERRIS' PRICES ON THE 4 BUDDLEIA DESCRIBED ABOVE

(All one kind or assorted to your liking)

85c Each ★ 3 for \$2.35



SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER

SNOWBANK
BUDDLEIA

PRICES ON THE 6 FRENCH LILACS:

Select Plants
2-3 ft.
\$1.50 Each
2 for \$2.80
4 for \$5.20
6 for \$8.95

PRICES ON ROTHOMAGENSIS LILAC:

18-24 in., select
78c Each
2 for \$1.45
6 for \$4.10



DWARF DEUTZIA

(T50) FLOWERING TREE SPECIAL

- 1 Magnolia Soulangeana, 2-3 ft.
- 1 Bechtel's Flowering Crab, 3-4 ft.
- 1 Purple Fringe, 3-4 ft.
- 1 Red Bud, 2-3 ft.
- 1 Rose Tree of China, 2-3 ft.

(Regular catalog price, \$11.19) **\$8.50**

FERRIS' SPECIAL

Five Handsome Lawn Specimens
for Clump or Screen

HOPA
CRAB

CRIMSON KING MAPLE
(See pages 23 and 47)

ALMEY
FLOWERING
CRAB

MAGNOLIA
SOULANGEANA

IRENE
FLOWERING
CRAB

RED BUD



TREE HYDRANGEA

ORNAMENTAL TREES

For Lawn Specimens,
Clumps, Backgrounds

T23—TREE HYDRANGEA. This handsome, dwarf-tree form of the Hydrangea P. G. is pictured at left above. At maturity it usually stands 6 to 10 feet high. Great favorite for specimen planting, or to accent shrubby groups. Excellent for cemetery planting. (See bush Hydrangeas on page 45.)

3-4 ft., select	Each	2
	\$2.65	\$5.00

T31—ROSE TREE OF CHINA. (*Prunus triloba*). One of the loveliest of all flowering trees. In early spring before the leaves appear it is enveloped in a fleecy cloud of double rose-like flowers of bright pink. Very hardy and desirable, 6-8 ft. at maturity.

2-3 ft.	Each	3
	\$1.85	\$3.40

T32—ALMEY FLOWERING CRAB. (*Malus Almey*). The New Blazing Crab! Each spring lends the strong, healthy tree loaded with dollar-size crab blooms of glowing, fiery crimson—see picture in color on page 46. Unlike some of the others, Almey starts blooming when very young, occasionally the year it is set out. Hardy everywhere. You will want this sensational new beauty. Developed by the Morden Experimental Station in Manitoba, Canada.

3-4 ft.	Each	2
	\$2.50	\$4.50

T33—BECHTEL'S DOUBLE FLOWERING CRAB. (*Malus ioensis plena* Bechtel). Like a grand big bouquet on the lawn, during May and June when it is crowded full with delicate pink, double flowers, looking like small roses; very fragrant. 15 ft. at maturity. Great favorite everywhere.

3-4 ft.	Each	2
	\$2.25	\$3.90

T34—IRENE CRAB. New, Brilliant Red Flowering Crab. Irene is one of the most outstanding of the new Flowering Crabs developed by the famous expert, Mr. A. F. denBoer of Des Moines, Iowa. In the spring it has a heavy covering of the rich rose-crimson blooms followed by small, purple-red fruit, foliage large and purplish-green. More dwarf than most, it matures around 12-14 ft. and is ideal for the small grounds. Completely hardy. See picture of this superb, new ornamental on opposite page.

3-4 ft.	Each	2
	\$2.50	\$4.50

T35—DOLGO CRAB. A distinctive ornamental for your lawn, with its heavy covering of white crabapple flowers in the spring, followed by big clusters of rich red fruit. Makes wonderful jelly and pickles. 12-15 ft. at maturity.

4-5 ft., select	Each	2
	\$1.60	\$2.90

T36—HOPA FLOWERING CRAB. Extremely hardy and beautiful Flowering Crab, which we picture on opposite page. Long, graceful, reddish branches are heavily covered with delightful rose-pink flowers in spring; foliage lightly flushed maroon. In the fall rich crimson fruits add to its attractiveness and make good jelly.

4-5 ft., select	Each	2
	\$2.25	\$3.90

T37—MAGNOLIA SOULANGEANA. (*Magnoliaceae soulangeana*). Superb Lawn Bouquet! In early spring before the leaves appear, the shapely dwarf tree is covered with large, purplish pink buds that open to white fragrant flowers—a picture that will attract the whole community. Rich, shining green foliage makes it attractive even after blooms are gone. Grows about 8 to 10 feet tall. Hardest and most popular of the Magnolias. See color photo on page 46.

2-3 ft., select (in peat balls)	Each	2
	\$3.89	\$7.25

T38—RED BUD. (*Cercis canadensis*). Early Spring Charming! This lovely small tree gives a real thrill in the springtime, when it has a wonderful profusion of bright rose-lavender flowers before the leaves appear. Heart-shaped, dark green foliage opens later. Grows 15 to 20 feet tall. In northern sections plant in a sheltered location. Pictured in color on opposite page.

2-3 ft.	Each	2
	\$1.35	\$2.50

T18—CRIMSON KING MAPLE. Purple Crimson Foliage All Summer! This handsome tree, pictured on page 46, is fully described on page 23.

(a) 6-7 ft., select, straight whips	Each	2
	\$6.75	\$12.75
(b) 7-8 ft., branched	Each	2
	9.50	18.40

ROSE TREE OF CHINA

T39—CLUMP BIRCH. (*Betula alba pendula*). This very ornamental type of the White Birch is pictured at right above—an average of three trunks in clump form growing from one root system. Clean and graceful in habit, strong and rapid in growth. Snowy white bark appears in a year or two and continues through maturity, giving it charm in the winter as well as summer. Bright green lustrous foliage turns to soft yellow in the fall. A beautiful landscape and home lawn tree. 25 to 35 feet at maturity.

2-3 ft.	Each	2
	\$3.25	\$6.00

T40—CENTENNIAL CRAB. (Minnesota No. 1472). Wonderful, Brand New, Flowering and Fruiting Crab! This is a cross of Dolgo and Wealthy, developing a small tree with spreading, horizontal branches much in the manner of the ornamental Hawthorn, with healthy, attractive foliage. It is a beautiful sight in the early season, when covered with the very large, clear white flowers. These are followed by delicious, long oval crabs up to 2 inches, bright red over yellow and are grand for eating. The fruiting period is unusually long, from late August for about six weeks. We recommend this as one of the finest new Crabs.

5-6 ft., select	Each	2
	\$3.98	\$7.60

T41—PURPLE FRINGE. Smoke Tree. (*Rhus cotinus*). Magnificent large shrub, often growing 10 to 12 feet tall and almost as broad, with a very fine covering of bloom in purple-grey billows through mid-summer. Rich shiny green foliage takes on beautiful colors in the fall. A unique and unusual specimen you will enjoy having on your home grounds.

3-4 ft., transplants	Each	2
	\$1.85	\$3.25

T42—PURPLE-LEAVED SMOKE TREE. Striking new type of Purple Fringe with handsome leaves of rich purple. During mid-summer it is enmassed in fluffy blooms of soft purple. Growing tall and broad, it develops one of the most spectacular of all lawn specimens, and is perfect, too, for backgrounds and screens.

2 1/2-3 1/2 ft.	Each	2
	\$2.65	\$5.00

T43—PURPLE LEAF PLUM. (*Prunus cistena*). Glowing purple maroon foliage all summer, deepening to rich bronze in the fall. Pink blossoms in early spring. Splendid contrast specimen for the green border. Grows 6-10 ft. at maturity, though may be kept trimmed lower, if desired. Plant in full sunlight, for best color effects in the foliage.

2-3 ft.	Each	2
	\$1.65	\$3.00

T44—WASHINGTON HAWTHORN. (*Crataegus cordata phenopyrum*). Beautiful, All-Season Tree! In spring and early summer there are dense clusters of creamy white flowers followed by scarlet berries in clusters that persist far into the winter. Glossy foliage has bright red and orange hues in the fall. The wild, twiggy outline of the tree in winter is particularly charming, with the red berries providing a feast for Cardinals and other birds. Grows 15 to 20 feet tall. Fine for lawn specimens, clumps or for background screen.

3-4 ft., heavy	Each	2
	\$1.75	\$3.00

T45—CUT-LEAF WEEPING BIRCH. (*Betula pendula laciniata*). Graceful charm and beauty are personified in this very popular tree. Develops artistic white bark, drooping limbs, and small, finely cut leaves. Very effective when used in groups of two or three, or to set off the more compact lines of evergreens. Set deeply and firmly in good soil as soon as received, without exposing the roots to the air, giving it lots of water until well established. This is one tree that should not be top pruned except to nip back any dried twigs or branches. 35 to 50 feet at maturity.

4-5 ft.	Each	2
	\$2.85	\$3.25

"SPRING BEAUTIFUL" COLLECTION (T46)

- 1 ALMEY FLOWERING CRAB, 3-4 ft.
- 1 Bechtel's Double-Flowering Crab, 3-4 ft.
- 1 Hopa Crab, 4-5 ft.
- 1 Purple Leaf Plum, 2-3 ft.

Four Spring-Flowering Beauties—Deluxe Group for
Lawn or Background.

(Regular price, \$8.65).

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CLUMP BIRCH

PURPLE FRINGE (Smoke Tree)

CUT-LEAF WEEPING BIRCH

Picture Glad Offer

Elizabeth
the
Queen

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Gold

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24 "Picture Beauty" GLADS

(G50) 2 BENJAMIN BRITTEN
2 BURMA
2 COLUMBIA
2 ELIZABETH THE QUEEN
2 ELMER'S ROSE
2 GOLD

2 LUSTIGE WITWE
2 MANSOER
2 ORANGE GOLD
2 POINSETTIA
2 SNOWDRIFT
2 SPIC AND SPAN

Gold

All Large, Blooming Size Bulbs

Matchless Spikes for Your Garden — Bouquets that Will Thrill and Bring Prizes! (Regular catalog price, \$3.45)

\$2.50

FERRIS
COLLECTION PRICE

(See descriptions and individual prices for these and other outstanding Glads on page 49, also on Catalog Envelope.)

Glads Are Easy to Grow

Before planting, we suggest that you dip the bulbs, using 1 oz. New Improved Cereson, 3 tablespoons of soap detergent, to 3 gallons of water. Soak for 15 minutes only, and plant at once while the bulbs are still wet. Set the bulbs 4 to 6 inches deep in good, well drained garden soil, packing the earth firmly all around the bulbs. Keep bed free from weeds. You will have blooms all season if you plant the bulbs in 10-day intervals. Remove the bulbs from the ground in the fall, before freezing weather. Clean and dry them, then store in a cool, dry cellar, dusting with DDT after they are cleaned and dried. (Cereson may be purchased at most largest drug stores.)

Snowdrift

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Elmer's Rose

Burma

GLADIOLUS

Universally Loved and Planted — So Hardy and Easy to Grow.

Our Glad Bulbs Are All Guaranteed Large Blooming Size—All Bright, Smooth, Plump, Healthy. We Offer the Newer, Outstanding Varieties. Ferris' Gladiolus Bulbs Are All Priced POSTPAID.

12 "Famous" Glads

- G22—BENJAMIN BRITTON.** This huge mauve-lavender Glad blooms about midseason — beautiful and unusual color that withstands the weather well. Many well placed, open florets on an exhibit spike. Pictured on opposite page.
- G23—BURMA.** One of the greatest Glads ever introduced. Rich deep wine rose color — blooms large, round and generously ruffled. A masterpiece in beauty and performance. See color photo on page 48.
- G24—LIZBETH.** **QUEEN.** Extra fine, large, beautifully ruffled blooms of soft lavender; early. This wonderful flower should be in every garden. Pictured on opposite page.
- G25—ANGELICA.** New, gorgeous light pink. Opens 8 to 9 nicely ruffled blooms on a long head. Superb in bouquets.
- G26—FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE.** This wonderful white Glad is named for the famous lady in white. Large beautifully ruffled florets of snow white centered ivory. Edges beautifully with waven lines.
- G27—FRIENDSHIP.** One of the earliest, and certainly one of the most beautiful of the new Glads. Color is a glorious, fresh pink with cardinal spots in the throat. It opens 8 to 7 ruffled blooms on a tall, strong spike. A cut flower "queen."
- G28—MANOER.** Giant size blooms of deep, dark bronze-mauve, very rich and velvety. Often 8 florets open at one time. This outstanding Glad is pictured on page 48.
- G29—PURPLE SUPREME.** Rich, deep purple, with 10 open florets on a tall stocky plant, and the color is magnificent. Excellent cut flower.
- G30—RED CHARM.** Handsome, large flowers of dark rich red, 6 to 8 open florets at once. Free bloomer, strong grower, and one of the finest of all red Glads.
- G31—SALMAN'S GLORY.** Immense Glad of rich cream with a big red blotch edged yellow. Tall strong stems, with often 7 open florets on one spike. A great performer.
- G32—SANS SOUCI.** Very brilliant scarlet from Holland, and a winner at all the shows. The rounded, graceful florets have a narrow creamy line. This is a beautiful flower, a luminous glow. Its blazing beauty is a standout in any garden.
- G33—SPOTLIGHT.** Large blooms of fine form, color a brilliant yellow with cardinal spots. You can depend on this Glad for light to make a grand display either in the garden or bouquets.

FERRIS' PRICES ON THE 12 "FAMOUS" GLADS
(Your Selection, all one kind or assorted, but not less than two of a variety when ordering just 10 bulbs.)

2 for 25c ★ 10 for 95c ★ 25 for \$2.00
50 for \$3.75 ★ 100 for \$6.85 POSTPAID

12 "Super" Glads

- G16—CHAMOUNY.** Handsome light cerise rose; tall slender spikes with many open florets. Wonderful exhibition flower.
- G17—COLUMBIA.** New light cerise Glad of clear creamy white edged and fluted with soft rose pink. The strong spikes open 8 or more round florets of pink and white beauty—see picture on page 48.
- G18—DIEPPE.** Four Star Beauty—exhibition spikes opening 6 to 7 large ruffled florets of salmon red with darker blotch. Blooms of superb form and suds-like substance. A great Show winner and a splendid garden variety.
- G19—ELMER'S ROSE.** Wonderful fine line, heavily ruffled, deep rose. Opens 8 or more well spaced blooms of heavy substance on 5 ft. spikes, and with its glorious, rich color is a sensation in garden, flower show, or home arrangement. See color photo on opposite page.
- G20—GOLDIE.** Very brilliant and beautiful is this rich yellow Glad, and one of the highest rated. Long well filled spikes of large, wide open florets, softly ruffled, color an intense golden yellow without markings. A perfection Glad in the garden or floral arrangements.
- G21—KING DAVID.** Breath-taking blooms of deep rich purple with velvety red throat, lustrous sheen, and soft silver nacelle edge. Tall straight spikes with often 10 open, heavily ruffled florets. A superb purple Glad, and one of the great Show winners.
- G22—ORANGE GOLD.** Rich orange throughout, with extra large flowers on giant size spikes. One of the tallest of all Glads and one of the finestest. See color photo on page 48.
- G23—PATROL.** Beautiful light scarlet-buff with yellow throat. Often opens 8 to 10 glossy blooms on a shapely, formal, exhibition spike. This is a real grand champion for your garden.
- G24—PINKETTA.** This new beauty has won the sensation at flower shows the past two or three years. Tall, thrilling spikes of vivid scarlet-red with just a touch of ruffling on the edge. A superb Glad for the home garden or commercial planting. See picture on opposite page.
- G25—SNOWDRIFT.** The new white Glad that has been taking grand championships all over the country. Immense spikes of perfect perfection open 8 or more ruffled waven florets of pure snow white. See picture at the elegant Glad on opposite page.
- G26—RED WING.** Tremendous flower heads, 50 in. tall, have 6 to 10 open florets on a 22-bud spike, color a rich vibrant red. A strong grower, superb in ruffling, and winner of many honors.
- G27—SPIC AND SPAN.** Many consider it the finest of the new Glads. Tall graceful spikes, with 8 or more beautifully formed florets of richest rosy pink. A constant prize winner and one of the most popular in the florist's trade. Pictured on page 48.

FERRIS' PRICES ON THE 12 "SUPER" GLADS
(Your Selection, all one kind or assorted, but not less than two of a variety when ordering just 10 bulbs.)

2 for 30c ★ 10 for \$1.20 ★ 25 for \$2.35
50 for \$4.25 ★ 100 for \$7.75 POSTPAID

10 "Sensational" Glads

- G29—COPPER LUSTRE.** New, magnificent "smoky", huge, heavily ruffled blooms, 8 to 10 at one time, on a tall strong spike. It is a rich blend of dusky rose, dark tan and copper with red throat. Strong grower. For real show blooms, you will want this super-giant in your collection. 2 for \$8; 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50, postpaid.
- G30—CHATER LAKE.** As beautiful and blue as Crater Lake, for which it was named. Will open 8 immense florets at once on a near 5-ft. spike with 20 buds yet to open. Color exquisite violet blue. The largest and finest of its color. 2 for 40c; 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$3.75, postpaid.
- G31—HARRISBURGER.** Giant, new Glad, and a masterpiece. Extra strong, tall spikes carry 20-22 buds, and 8 flat-open blooms of the heaviest substance, finest ruffling, and a brilliant cherry-coral color. Plant early as it blooms rather late. 2 for 35c; 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25, postpaid.
- G32—JUSTICE WITWE.** New and very striking Glad from Holland. Impressive large spikes and florets, color a beautiful shade of rose-purple with creamy white center. Strong healthy grower and a splendid Show flower. See picture of this brilliant variety on opposite page. 2 for 35c; 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25, postpaid.
- G33—MINARET.** Enchanting, new salmon-pink Glad with perfect blooms and great dependability. 7-9 round, recurved, lightly ruffled florets are precisely placed on steeple-like heads, even small bulbs producing model spikes. Very lovely in the garden or in bouquets. 2 for 50c; 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.50, postpaid.
- G34—MOTHER FISCHER.** Lavishly ruffled, snow white, velvety flowers on 5-ft. spikes, 7 or more open at a time, topped with 20 or more buds. A faultless, glorious white — a Show champion and a great performer. 2 for 35c; 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25, postpaid.
- G35—PACTOLUS.** Stunning beauty from Holland. Often there are 8 wide open, ruffled blooms on a stem, color a vivid apricot cream with scarlet blotch. Everyone wants Pactolus. 2 for 35c; 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25, postpaid.
- G36—PINK CHIFFON.** The champion of soft, delicate rose-pink Glads, and for floral arrangements is 'out of this world'. The early, tall straight spikes will open 5-7 florets of melting orchid-pink at one time. For perfection blooms, shade Pink Chiffon, or better still bring it in the house, and alone or combined with other flowers will give you bouquets of rare beauty. 2 for 40c; 10 for \$1.70; 25 for \$3.25, postpaid.
- G37—ROSITA.** A grand champion Glad of the richest, most "mouth-watering" rose tones imaginable. Big spikes with many large, well spaced florets that are beautifully ruffled. An exceptionally fine flower in every way. 2 for 35c; 10 for \$1.50; 25 for \$3.25, postpaid.
- G38—SPARKLING EYES.** A handsome Glad and appropriately named. Ruffled white florets with clear violet-purple blotches open 7 or 8 at one time on a tall spike—a real ribbon of bloom. Great performer, too. 2 for 45c; 10 for \$1.90; 25 for \$4.00, postpaid.
- G39—"SENSATIONAL" GLADS COMBINE.** 20 New Glorious Glads—two bulbs each of the 10 great varieties in the "Sensational" Group.

Postpaid, only **\$3.22**

5 All-New Glad "Stars"

Through a special arrangement with the originator, these wonderful new Glads will appear, for the first time, in only a limited number of catalogs this year. Already they have taken some of the highest awards and medals. Their immense flowers of superb form and placement, their breath-taking colors and all-round great performance promise real thrills for beginner and connoisseur alike. If you want the BEST, try these "Stars".

- G40—ADMIRAL.** A ranking beauty of glistening deep rich blue, with erect aquatic spikes opening 10 florets at a time. A Grand Champion winner at several shows.
- G41—GOLDEN SUNSHINE.** Magnificent spikes of vibrant golden-yellow. The slightly ruffled florets, of rich leathery substance, open 8-10 at once in formal placement on a strong, rugged, 5-ft. plant. A single spike of rich mellow gold is a sight to behold.
- G42—INNOCENCE.** Tall, exquisitely ruffled, soft rose-pink tinted blooms, so delicately colored they scarcely seem real. Spikes are extremely large of heavy substance, and open 8-10 florets at a time. Early but long-time bloomer; excellent grower. You simply must have Innocence.
- G43—ROSE SPIRE.** Lofly spikes of sparkling, clear rose-pink with cream throat, the blooms superbly ruffled, with 10-12 open florets. It is glorious in the garden but even more eye-catching indoors. Rose Spire has won top honors everywhere.
- G44—VIKING.** A bold, rugged, brilliant Glad named in honor of the Norsemen who came to our continent in the early centuries. Tall, ramrod straight spikes of the most vivid scarlet with bold white lines. This grand flower in your garden will give you many a cheery hour.

FERRIS' PRICES ON THE 5 GLAD "STARS"
(Your Choice—all one kind or assorted to your liking)

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All Large, Strictly No. 1 Bulbs

5 ALL-AMERICA GLADS FOR 1958! Do not overlook these on the catalog envelope. They are the winners that supersede all others.

"5-STAR" GLAD OFFER (G45)

- ② 1 INNOCENCE
- ② 2 ADMIRAL
- ② 3 VIKING
- ② 4 ROSE SPIRE
- ② 5 GOLDEN SUNSHINE

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24 EXHIBITION GLADS for only **\$2.75** POSTPAID

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Glad Special "A" (G15)

- 3 Copper Lustre
- 3 Vangelina
- 3 Pactolus
- 3 Purple Supreme
- 3 Red Wing
- 3 Rosita
- 3 Salman's Glory
- 3 Sans Souci

Glad Special "B" (G28)

- 3 Chamouny
- 3 Dieppe
- 3 Friendship
- 3 Mother Fischer
- 3 King David
- 3 Petrol
- 3 Red Charm
- 3 Sparkling Eyes
- 3 Spotlight

COLONEL RUDD

ALABASTER

ROSY MORN



5 DAHLIA "GIANTS" (D6)

- 1 Alabaster
- 1 Colonel Rudd
- 1 Commando
- 1 Rosy Morn
- 1 Salem Sunshine

Magnificent in size, color
and form

All Five only.....\$3⁵⁵
(postpaid)

== (For descriptions and further prices, ==
see page 51.)

7 "PICTURED DAHLIA GIANTS" (D30)

- 5 Dahlia "Giants"
- 1 Julianna Regina
- 1 Paisley Gem

All Seven Dahlias
only.....\$5²⁵
(postpaid)

Pompon Dahlias below are described and
priced on opposite page.

COMMANDO

Kasasagi

Red
WarriorMary
MunnsRosa
Wilmot

Bambi

JULIANNA
REGINA

SALEM SUNSHINE

PAISLEY GEM
Pompon 50

BEAUTIFUL DAHLIAS

Magnificent Show Flowers for the Late Summer and Fall Garden
after other blooms are faded and gone.

Our group comprises some of the most outstanding of the new, perfected Dahlias — the flowers that take the blue ribbon of the shows. You will marvel at their spectacular performance in your garden.

5 DAHLIA "GIANTS"

(Pictured on Opposite Page)

D1—ALABASTER. Superb, large, 8-inch, decorative blooms of rich, creamy, alabaster-white. Bush is huge with many full blooms supported on cane-like stems. See picture on page 50. 90c each; 2 for \$1.65, postpaid.

D2—COLONEL RUDD. Handsome, 10-inch blooms of deep velvety red on long stems and massive bush. One of the showiest of all Dahlias, and grows giant size without extra care. Color photo is shown on page 50. 90c each; 2 for \$1.65, postpaid.

D3—COMMANDO. Giant deep lavender blooms, informal decorative type, profusely cover a very sturdy bush. One of the finest of the "blues." See picture on opposite page. 75c each; 2 for \$1.35, postpaid.

D4—ROSY MORN. Elegant, 6-inch, decorative blooms of rich deep fuchsia pink are freely produced on strong stems. See picture of this new beauty on page 50. 80c each; 2 for \$1.40, postpaid.

D5—SALEM SUNSHINE. Giant, 10-inch blooms of warm primrose yellow are very profuse on a strong, compact bush. Starts early and blooms over a long period. We picture this fine golden Dahlia on page 50. 80c each; 2 for \$1.40, postpaid.



TASOGARE

3 DAHLIA "NOVELTIES"

D21—BONNIE BLUE. New beauty from Holland. Quantities of 3-inch, ball-type flowers of deep lavender. Wonderful stems for cutting and a very large bush. 70c each, postpaid.

D22—PEPY. Bright pink, 3-inch ball that is hard to beat for cutting. Very fine, new Dutch miniature, with hundreds of blooms from early in the season. 70c each, postpaid.

D23—TASOGARE. Rich scarlet, 3-inch blooms contrast to the unusual deep plum red foliage and stems. Wonderful cut flower. See picture above. 70c each, postpaid.

D24—DAHLIA "NOVELTIES COMBINE." One each of the charming and heavy blooming "Novelties" described above.

Postpaid,
only.....

\$1.85

6 DAHLIA "QUEENS"

(Two are shown in color on page 50, and three are pictured on this page.)

D7—JULIANNA REGINA. Elegant new cactus Dahlia from Holland. The immense, 10-inch blooms are of soft apricot and gold with light rose to the tips, each petal cleft. An outstanding beauty. See color photo on page 50. \$1.25 each, postpaid.

D8—PAISLEY GEM. Perfectly formed blooms of white with speckles of rich violet over the entire flower; wonderful stems and bush. This new American introduction is a favorite wherever shown. Pictured on page 50. \$1.10 each, postpaid.

D9—GOOD EARTH. A garden and cut-flower beauty — 10-inch blooms (incurred cactus) of pure pink with a distinct and generous white center. One of the very finest, new Holland introductions. Splendid habits of bush and stem. 90c each, postpaid.

D10—LOIS WALCHER. True bi-color of richest pansy purple with each petal tipped with white, blooms often 8-in. across. Very showy. 85c each, postpaid.

D11—MARGARET COLE. Handsome bi-color Dahlia of rich orange with white petal tips. Very popular. 85c each, postpaid.

D12—TORERO. Brilliant, 8-inch, cactus blooms of deep rust red with tips of gold. Very showy either in the garden or in bouquets. A great Dahlia and a great favorite. 85c each, postpaid.

D14—DAHLIA "QUEENS" COMBINE. Six New, Outstanding Dahlias — One each of the varieties in the "Queens" Group.

Postpaid,
only..... **\$4.55**

5 POMPON DAHLIAS

There is a great demand for these little fellows, which are pictured on opposite page. Solid, compact flowers are seldom over 1½ inches in diameter, and are lovely in color and shape. They grow easily, require little care, and bring a wealth of bloom through late summer and fall. Ideal for cutting.

D15—KASASAGI. Choice pom of rich rust red with yellow at the petal base; heavy producer. 45c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

D16—BAMBI. This brand new pom is maize yellow deep in the center with heavy rose tips. Hundreds of blooms on a robust bush. 45c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

D17—MARY MUNNS. Clear deep lavender with fine stem and bush. A must for you who like to pick and use the pompon blooms. 45c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid.

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D20—POMPON DAHLIA "COMBINE." Five Finest Baby Dahlias—one each of five Pompons described above and shown in color on page 50.

Postpaid,
only..... **\$1.75**

HOW TO PLANT DAHLIAS

Plant in late spring when the ground is warm. They should have good, well-drained soil and a sunny location. Plant 2 ft. apart, setting tuber 6 inches deep, on its side with eye up, covering with 3 inches of earth pressed firmly. Fill hole gradually as plant grows. Nip the ends of the main shoot when about 12 inches tall to encourage more bloom. Water heavily at planting time, and thereafter as needed.

Dig after first frost in fall. Cut tops to roots and store upside down in cool dry cellar or cave, or place in box and cover with a mixture of Peat Moss and dry sand.



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No finer covering for fence, trellis, archway or wall. Hardy, easy to grow. And, they give you the most blooms for your money.

R81—BLAZE. Most famous red climbing rose. Large clusters of cup-shaped blooms of vivid scarlet cover the broad vine in June, followed by intermittent flowers all season. Give rich soil to get best growth and most bloom. 2-year, No. 1 plants, \$1.19 each; 3 for \$3.39, postpaid.

R82—CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY. A wealth of large, lovely, fragrant blooms of American Beauty Red (vivid rose-pink) on a broad, vigorous climber. Splendid for cutting. This is a great favorite all over America. See picture at left. 2-year, No. 1 plants, \$1.19 each; 3 for \$3.39, postpaid.

R83—DR. J. H. NICOLAS. (P. Pat. 457). Noted for its heavy covering of large, fully double rose-pink blooms from June until frost. The beautiful, richly colored flowers are borne on long stems and are fine for cutting. Hardy, vigorous plant, with luxuriant foliage. Truly a wonderful everblooming climber for your garden. 2-year, No. 1 plants, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.

R84—KING MIDAS. (P. Pat. 586). Longest blooming of any Yellow Climber! Lovely, large, red flushed buds open to big, full, Hybrid-Tea-like blooms of rich, un fading yellow, and are borne in clusters of four to six. Hardy, vigorous and fast growing, and after established blooms every year for from three to six weeks. A glory of gold for pillar, porch or trellis. 2-year, No. 1 plants, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.

R85—NEW DAWN. All season long it has a fine covering of beautiful, large, double flowers of delicate apple-blossom pink that are fine for cutting. Very fragrant. The first of the Everblooming Climbers, and is still the leader in abundance of bloom. A wonderful pillar rose. 2-year, No. 1 plants, \$1.19 each; 3 for \$3.39, postpaid.

R86—PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER. Most beautiful, most popular of the June red climbers. Large, semi-double flowers on long stems in bold clusters hold their vivid scarlet until the last petals fall. Very fine for fences, trellises, arches, or can be kept pruned back to bush form. 2-year, No. 1 plants, \$1.19 each; 3 for \$3.39, postpaid.

R87—WHITE DAWN. Finest white everblooming climbing rose. All season long there is a succession of double, fragrant, pure white flowers that resemble gardenias. Lovely for carriages and bouquets. Will bloom this summer and fall. This splendid, hardy climber was developed by the University of Minnesota. 2-year, No. 1 plants, \$1.19 each; 3 for \$3.39, postpaid.

R88—CLIMBING PINKIE. (P. Pat. 1078). New and very lovely! Most everyone has a trellis or garden spot where a thickly foliaged 6-8 ft. plant like Climbing Pinkie is just right. In early summer you will hardly see any leaves under the heavy covering of delightful, porcelain pink, 2-inch blooms—the same perfect little buds and flowers which won an All-America Award for the bush Pinkie. And best of all, it flowers all season. 2-year, No. 1 plants, \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.20, postpaid.

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- 1 BLAZE
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Three Brilliant, Long-Time Bloomers

Select, No. 1 Plants

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Four Famous Trellis Roses

Delicate pink, scarlet, white and vivid rose in a lovely blend.

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\$3⁹⁵

FERRIS' SPECIAL..... (Postpaid)

(Planting Directions for Roses are given on page 57)

BLAZE

CLIMBING
AMERICAN BEAUTY

CLIMBING
PINKIE

KING MIDAS

WHITE DAWN

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Exhibition Quality Fruit—

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New, remarkable development long sought for—hailed by authorities as one of the greatest advancements to date for home fruit growing—a boon to families who want to grow their own fruit. After years of investigation and with the advice of leading Federal, State and private Entomologists and Pathologists, this outstanding combination spray has finally been formulated.

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When planting dissolve 4 level teaspoonsful of Ra-Pid-Gro in 1 gallon of water, then dust on your trees or plants in the solution—perennials and strawberries for only a second or two, other small fruits for a minute or two, roses and shrubs for two or three minutes, and so on, and simple directions on every package. Pour the residue around the plants when you have completed the planting, then every few weeks apply Ra-Pid-Gro again.

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Lot 30' x 60'—with approximately 10 shrubs, 2 shade trees, 2 fruit trees, 1 dozen roses and lawn of 600 square feet requires 3 pounds of Ra-Pid-Gro for season's feeding.

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5 pounds RA-PID-GRO	5.85
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2 Bags for \$5.00

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- (1) **Acid Peat.** Use this when growing Blueberries. Dig a large hole for each plant, then mix one bushel of Acid mixture and pack firmly around the roots; water the mixture thoroughly. For its use with Azaleas, see their description under shrub section of the catalog. Furnished in new, large, especially processed bag with plastic liner, approximate weight 55-65 pounds (contents at least 4 loose bushels Peat per bag.)
- (2) **Neutral Peat.** Soil conditioner par excellence for gardens, lawns, ornamental borders, window boxes and elsewhere, and especially fine for evergreens and roses. Use about 1/4 Peat mixed with garden soil when planting, packing firmly around the roots. Packed in new, large, especially processed bag with plastic liner, approximate weight 70-75 pounds (contents at least 4 loose bushels Peat per bag.)

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Keeps Rabbits Away from Your Vegetable Gardens, Your Flower Borders, Shrubs and Trees.

EASY TO USE—Apply as a dust directly from the convenient shaker top container, or use in hand duster. If you prefer spraying, mix contents of 8 oz. can with 3 gallons of water and apply with your sprayer.

Use on flowers, shrubs and trees at any time. On leafy vegetable plants during early stage of growth.

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1 Can (8 oz.) \$1.35
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GLORIOUS EVERBLOOMING ROSES

(R39) THE "TOP FOUR" ROSE SPECIAL

- 1 Crimson Glory
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- 1 Picture
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FOUR GRAND EVERBLOOMING ROSES

Blooms all season—Delightful colors—Rich Fragrance

Select. 2-Year. No. 1. Blooming-
Size Plants, only.....

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FIVE SUPERB EVERBLOOMING ROSES

Beautiful, Colorful, Fragrant Flowers from June until Frost.

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NINE HANDSOME EVERBLOOMING ROSES

One each of the Famous Beauties pictured on this page.

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Plants, for only.....

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CHRISTOPHER STONE



EDITOR McFARLAND



COUNTESS VANDAL

Famous Hybrid Tea ROSES

MOST OF THESE BEAUTIFUL EVERBLOOMING ROSES ARE PICTURED ON PAGES 54 AND 55 OR ON THE CATALOG ENVELOPE. They Will Bring You Hundreds of Glorious, Fragrant Blooms This Summer!

R33—CHRISTOPHER STONE. Glowing crimson-scarlet blooms with deeper shadings; spicy old rose fragrance. One of the finest bright red varieties.

R34—COUNTESS VANDAL. Gorgeous buds of orange-copper open into large, double flowers of brilliant pink, salmon and yellow, and are fragrant. Wonderful for cutting.

R35—CRIMSON GLORY. Still the most popular dark red rose, with flaring buds opening into large, superb flowers of deep velvety crimson, and so fragrant. Vigorous plant; heavy bloomer. We picture this outstanding rose on page 54.

R36—DUQUESA DE PENARANDA. Long pointed buds open into large, striking flowers of dark pink, copper and apricot in a warm blend. Fall blooms are even more vivid in color. Sweet fragrance. See color photo of this elegant rose on opposite page.

R37—ECLIPSE. The strong, branched plant produces an all-season procession of graceful, tapering, 2-inch buds of richest yellow, opening to flowers of unending beauty. A great performer everywhere, and truly an outstanding yellow rose. See picture on page 54.

R38—EDITOR McFARLAND. Clear glowing pink—large flowers of perfect form on strong cutting stems; very fragrant, extra long lasting. One of the very best pink roses in cultivation.

R40—ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. This is one of the finest and most popular red roses. Large buds and blooms of perfect form are colored the richest crimson and are long lasting, with intense rose perfume. Very free blooming.

R41—McGREGGY'S IVORY. Deep petioled flowers, full, fragrant, and of richest ivory-white—one of the most beautiful of all white everblooming roses.

R42—McGREGGY'S YELLOW. Large, shapely buds of rich gold unfold to lovely flowers of soft clear yellow. Hardy; always in bloom. This is a great favorite with all rose gardeners.

R43—MME. JULES BOUCHE. Large, double blooms of satiny white are sweetly scented. Beautiful glossy foliage; bushy, rugged, very floriferous plant. This fine white rose is pictured on page 54.

R44—MRS. SAM McGREGGY. See picture of this striking beauty on opposite page. Gorgeous, pointed buds open into large, double, high centered blooms of scarlet, copper and orange flushed red, fine fragrance. A favorite for cutting with long stems and excellent foliage; hardy and free blooming.

R45—PICTURE. A great favorite with us, and generally rates as one of the finest of all pink roses. Beautifully formed buds and open flowers of glowing pink with a trace of salmon; sweet fragrance. Strong plant, always in bloom. Shown in color on page 54.

R46—POINSETTIA. Large, shapely buds have a velvety texture, color a vivid, glowing Poinsettia red, with fall blooms especially dazzling. Strong plant, always in bloom. We show this super-line rose in color on page 54.

R47—PRESIDENT HOOVER. A glorious multi-colored rose, and one of the most popular. Large, fragrant blooms of cerise, orange and gold in a rich blend; long stems are fine for cutting.

R48—SEOUR THERESE. Very fine yellow rose. Long shapely buds are chrome yellow with generous carmine splashes, opening to a lighter yellow with apricot and gold overtones. Sweetbriar fragrance. Excellent for cutting; very free blooming. Pictured on opposite page.

R49—THE DOCTOR. Enormous blooms often 6 inches across, of shimmering pink. Said to have the most beautiful color of all roses, the richest fragrance. Customers from all over the country have written us of the "perfect" flowers The Doctor has produced in their gardens. See color photo on page 54.

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(Your Choice — All one kind or assorted to your liking)

Strong, 2-Year, No. 1, Blooming-Size Plants

\$1.19 Each ★ 3 for \$3.39 ★ 6 for \$6.30 ★ 12 for \$11.98

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GROW MUSHROOMS AT YOUR OWN HOME!

Use Ferris' **MAGIC MUSHROOM TRAYS!** Each tray is a complete "mushroom bed" already spawned. Simply place in your basement or storage cellar, cover with just one inch of clay-loam garden soil, then water. In just two or three weeks you will start harvesting fresh delicious mushrooms—and they will continue for from two to four months.

Magic Mushroom Trays Are Perfectly Safe. All materials used in them have been pasteurized, so that it is impossible for any other type of growth to appear on the trays except **EDIBLE MUSHROOMS.**

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ORDER NOW so that the trays can be shipped to you promptly. Mushrooms do not ship or produce well in warm weather. However, trays can also be shipped during the fall and winter, starting about October 15.

Four trays are recommended for the average size family, producing a bushel or more of mushrooms. They grow best in temperatures ranging between 55 and 65 degrees. Full instructions for growing mushrooms sent with every order.

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(Shipped by express, not prepaid, direct from our expert grower in Ohio)

3 "Magic" Trays for . . \$4.50

6 "Magic" Trays for . . \$7.50

The Trays are 15 1/2 inches, and weigh on an average of 12 lbs. each. The cost of the trays can be reduced by soliciting friends to order with you so that you can take advantage of the lower rate. Also they are shipped now without the top soil, which reduces the express charge considerably.



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Puts Water and Fertilizer Directly to the Roots—**Reduces Healthier, More Vigorous Growth.** Price **\$5.98** Postpaid with one dozen regular fertilizing cartridges

In this New Improved Root Feeder, the new pipe has 20% additional structural strength and is finished in an attractive red. The strong new tip (pipe extension) cuts right through hard packed soil. You can fertilize and water at the same time, or just water. Needs all season! In the spring it is a quick booster for old and new plantings. In the summer it insures food and water during dry spells. In the fall it is very necessary to put moisture down at the roots to prevent winter damage.

Simple, easy to use, nothing to get out of order, and lasts for years. For watering, just attach to hose. For fertilizing, place cartridge in the chamber, attach to hose and turn on the water. Push it into the ground to desired depth. No water or fertilizer is wasted. Feeder puts it DOWN AMONG THE ROOTS WHERE IT IS NEEDED.

Keep a supply of cartridges on hand.

Box of 12 for \$1.00 (Postpaid)

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Finest Patented **R**oses

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1 Charlotte Armstrong
1 Chrysler Imperial
1 Forty-Niner

Select, 2-Year
No. 1 Plants **\$620**
for only..... (postpaid)

These Three Wonderful Hybrid Tea Roses are pictured at the left (each is an All-America Award Winner) and are described and further priced on page 57.

FORTY-
NINER

CHARLOTTE
ARMSTRONG

BUCCANEER

3 "ALL-TIME FAVORITES" EVERBLOOMING ROSES (R20)

1 New Yorker 1 Peace 1 Tiffany

Select, 2-Year
No. 1 Plants **\$640**
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These Three Grand Champion Hybrid Tea Roses (All-America Award Winners) are great favorites all over America. See pictures at right, with descriptions and further prices on page 57.

PEACE

TIFFANY

3 SUPERB (R26) GRANDIFLORA ROSES

1 Buccaneer
1 Carrousel
1 Montezuma

Select, 2-Year, No. 1 Plants **\$635**
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Three Thrilling New Everblooming Roses of Unusual Hardiness, and with Handsome, Abundant Blooms. They are pictured at the left, with descriptions and further prices on page 57.

MONTEZUMA

CARROUSEL



LOVESONG MOJAVE MIDNIGHT

BEST OF THE PATENTED EVERBLOOMING ROSES

R16—LOVE SONG. The Great New Rose that Became an Instant Success. Large, very double, glowing blooms of water-melot-pink with vivid yellow reverse, and as they open become more intense in their color beauty. Even in the buds are big—deep yellow edged with dark coppery rose. Like its parent, Peace, the plant is upright, sturdy and strong, with dense, handsome foliage. It blooms freely and continuously—glorious blooms that are long lasting and sweetly fragrant. See picture of this most beautiful bicolor rose on the front cover. (P.Pat. 1360). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50, postpaid.

See Pictures in Color on Front Cover
and on Page 56!

Most of Them Are All-America-Award Winners
—Unsurpassed in Beauty and Performance.

R17—MIDNIGHT. Deepest, Darkest Red-Everblooming Rose. Perfectly formed buds open into graceful, 4-in., velvety blooms of the richest, dark black-red imaginable. Rich spicy fragrance gives the blooms extra appeal. The big vigorous plant produces the long stemmed buds and flowers in profusion. We show this unusually lovely rose in color on the front cover. (P.Pat. 1542). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.20, postpaid.

3 NEW GRANDIFLORA ROSES (SEE PICTURES ON PAGE 56)

This is the new class of Roses, combining the unusual vigor and abundant blooms of the Floribundas, with the superb buds, larger, long-lasting flowers and wonderful cutting stems of the Hybrid Teas. Plants are tall growing; the colorful blooms are breath taking.

R23—BUCCANER. The Brightest Yellow Rose Yet! Perfect, long tapering buds open to big cup-shaped blooms of brilliant, un-lading golden yellow, with delicate tea rose fragrance. The buds of this extremely vigorous plant often grow 4-6 ft. tall, with heavy foliage, and with plentiful tea rose flowers borne jauntily erect on long straight stems from June until frost. Plant this tall, new, prize winning beauty in the back-ground of your rose garden where it will shine out like a beacon all season long. This splendid Grandiflora Rose is shown in color on page 56. (P.Pat. 1119). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50, postpaid.

R24—CARROUSEL. Beautiful, Rich, Velvety Crimson Blooms in Great Abundance. Carrousel is a winner of impressive medals and awards, and because of its fine performance everywhere has become one of the most popular garden roses of today. The double blooms of good substance, and rich, unfolding red, are freely borne on a bushy, upright plant, 3-ft. tall, sometimes one to a stem, sometimes in large clusters. Fine for cutting, and long lasting. We picture this fine rose on page 56. (P.Pat. 1066). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.

R25—MONTEZUMA. Magnificent New Grandiflora Rose of Vivid Rosy Orange Salmon. The tall, strong plant all season long has a luxuriant topping of these beautifully formed buds and blooms that are so superbly colored, handsome, dense foliage. Montezuma is one of the most outstanding of the new roses, with cutting flowers always available. See color photo on opposite page. (P.Pat. 1363). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.20, postpaid.

R18—MOJAVE. Glowing Orange-Flame Like a Desert Sunset, and named so fittingly for California's famous Mojave Desert. Beautiful tapering buds open to big, richly colored flowers of pleasant fragrance. Wonderful in the garden, or in marvelous, long lasting bouquets. See color illustration on front cover. The tall, strong plant is unusually free blooming—an outstanding rose in every way. Winner of the 1954 All-America award, and has captured the Gold Medal in European capitals. (P.Pat. 1176). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.20, postpaid.

R19—CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG. One of the Noblest, Most Beautiful Roses of All Times! Long, stream-lined buds of rich carmine-red unfold slowly into large, full blooms of sparkling cerise, holding every vestige of color perfection until the petals fall. Long stemmed, it creates wonderful bouquets. Plant unusually hardy and vigorous for a Hybrid Tea, and remarkably free blooming—winner of many awards and the All-American Rose of 1941. Pictured on page 56. (P.Pat. 455). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00, postpaid.

R11—CHRYSLER IMPERIAL. The Monarch of All Red Roses! Long, tapering buds open to large, very full, richly textured flowers of richest crimson, gleaming like rare velvet. True rose fragrance. Healthy, strong plant, with abundant dark green foliage. The superb blooms are borne singly on sturdy, medium long stems, ideal for cutting. This All-American Rose of 1953 is pictured on opposite page. (P.Pat. 1167). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50, postpaid.

R12—FORTY-NINER. Handsome Bicolor Rose, with its startling buds of contrasting red and yellow opening to show red buds with golden lining. The strong, healthy bush with beautiful glossy foliage and few thorns produces a goodly amount of brilliant buds and blooms which are long lasting and fine for cutting. An All-America Award Winner of 1949. (P.Pat. 92). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00, postpaid. Pictured on opposite page.

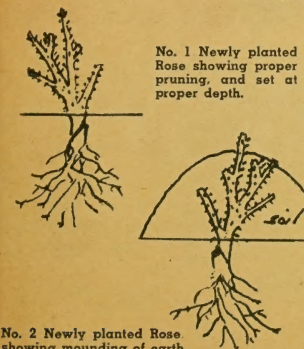
R15—GOLDEN MASTERPIECE. The Biggest Yellow Rose in the World! For sheer size, Golden Masterpiece is in a class by itself, and for golden beauty it is second to none. Long perfect buds of pure gold, sometimes lightly edged with red, slowly open into immense, full, deep yellow flowers, 6 to 7 inches across, and are non-fading. The hardy, healthy plant is constantly repeating these radiant blooms that are wonderful for cutting. See picture of this gigantic beauty on the front cover. (P.Pat. 1264). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.20, postpaid.

R13—NEW YORKER. The Red, Red Rose—Brilliant Until the Last Petals Fall. Elegant buds of grand form and texture open slowly into immense, full blooms of scarlet with rose-red overtones, and have rich, velvety fragrance. A delightful, almost raspberry fragrance. June finds the strong, 3-ft. plant covered with the vivid blooms, and from then on until frost a continuous succession of the dazzling red roses. New Yorker is pictured on page 56. (P.Pat. 823). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00, postpaid.

R21—PEACE. Acclaimed as the Most Perfect Rose in Cultivation. Superb buds of golden yellow are edged deep pink. Slowly these unfold into large, very double, fragrant flowers of ethereal beauty—blended tints of yellow, pale gold and ivory, deepening to light cerise at the edges. Each day it seems more beautiful. Plant is remarkably strong and healthy, with heavy, luxuriant foliage; blooms heavily. Peace is the All-American Rose Winner of 1946, and a glorious rose in every detail. Pictured in color on page 56. (P.Pat. 591). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50, postpaid.

R22—TIFFANY. Handsome, New Hybrid Tea Rose of Radiant Phlox Pink. Long, pointed buds of deep pink open to large, full, beautifully formed blooms of warm, clear pink, with golden yellow shading at base of petals. The unusually vigorous plant, with rich, dark green foliage, produces a continuous display of brilliant, long-lasting, fragrant blooms which are wonderful for cutting. We picture this outstanding beauty on the opposite page—the 1953 All-America Winner. (P.Pat. 1304). Select. No. 1 plants, \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50, postpaid.

(All Ferris' Roses Are Shipped Postpaid, And Are Trimmed Ready for Planting to Insure Best Results.)



No. 2 Newly planted Rose showing mounding of earth over top to protect from drying winds and hot sun. Remove earth gradually when growth starts, usually within 3-4 weeks.

How to Care for Roses

All Roses flourish best when planted in good, rich, well-drained soil in an open sunny location, but sheltered from north winds. They should be in beds or borders by themselves where roots of neighboring trees or shrubs will not penetrate or rob the soil. Make the hole deep (10 to 12 inches) and be sure that the plant is set low enough so that the bud union (graft) is about 1 inch below the surface of the ground. As you take each plant from the packing, soak the roots for several hours in water, or better yet dip them for a minute in a Ra-Pid-Gro solution, then plant as above recommended, 18 inches apart. Roots should be spread out naturally, the soil pressed very firmly around them, then water thoroughly. Prune back tops to within 4 to 6 inches of the ground when planting, and cover entire plant with earth to prevent freezing weather, mound earth over and around each plant for a distance of 8 to 10 inches, then when the ground is frozen about 2 inches cover about the mounds and over them with 6 to 12 inches of leaves, straw or shredded cornstalks, held down with boards.

Each spring as the Hybrid Teas are uncovered, the plants should be trimmed of all wood injured during the winter months. Rugosa Roses will require little annual pruning except to keep them to the size desired. Climbing Roses, when once established, should have no trimming whatever in early spring except to prune out any dead wood. Any extensive trimming to Climbers, that you find necessary, should be done immediately following the blooming period.

Ferris' ROSE DUST

EXTRA EFFECTIVE—EXTRA SAFE—EASY TO USE!

Our New Formula has been improved with the newer, thoroughly tested fungicides and insecticides to make it the finest Rose Dust yet offered. It contains CAPTAN, DDT, and Malathion, the most powerful fungicides of Black Spot, Rust and Leaf Spot. It contains SULPHUR for protection against Powdery Mildew on roses, also MALATHION, the amazing new and only insecticide on the market that will control aphids, spider mites and scales, plus a wide range of other sucking and chewing insects. These "wonder" chemicals also provide maximum safety to the user. Included, too, is DDT for extra insecticide value.

Instructions for application are given on each package—no mistakes possible. We recommend your using Ferris' Rose Dust regularly after plants are fully leafed out—to keep them in the best condition and in prime condition to bloom heavily and steadily. This can be used for a spray as well as a dust.

Our Prices on Rose Dust:

10 oz. Combination Rose Dust and Sifter\$0.89
2½ lb. Bag Rose Dust and Dust Gun\$1.95
(2 lb. bag of Rose Dust and 8 oz. dust gun filled with Rose Dust)	
2 lb. bag Rose Dust\$1.65
4 lb. bag Rose Dust (two 2-lb. bags)\$3.00

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Tip Toes

V for
Victory

Handsom
Red

Hardy SUB ZERO ROSES

Curly
Pink

Lily
Pons

RC 32 - SUB-ZERO ROSE "COMBINE"

1 CURLY PINK
1 HANDSOM RED

1 LILY PONS

1 TIP TOES
1 V FOR VICTORY

These FIVE SUPER-HARDY ROSES

Picture above and at the right, with descriptions and individual prices on page 59. (Large, 2-year, No. 1 1/2 Grade.)

For only

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Yellow

Famous Hardy SHRUB ROSES

Highly Recommended for Northern Sections - Hardy Everywhere
Fine for Borders, Hedges, Foundation Groups, or as Single Specimens.

R5-F. J. GROOTENDORST. The Finest Hedge or Shrub Rose—Extra Hardy. Grootendorst is the Everblooming Rugosa, with great clusters of bright carnation rose-red blooms all summer; handsome foliage. A favorite rose, too, for covering banks as well as for cemetery planting. No winter protection is required. 4 1/2 ft. at maturity. Plant 2-3 ft. apart in hedges. Strong. 2-yr., field-grown plants, \$1.19 each; 3 for \$3.39; 6 for \$6.30; 12 for \$11.98, postpaid.

R6-HARRISON'S YELLOW. The Favorite Old Time Yellow Shrub Rose. Each June, year after year, this grand, hardy bush bursts forth into hundreds of semi-double, sweet scented, yellow roses that are such a delightful picture in the garden or border. Cut sprays make artistic bouquets. Hardy everywhere. Strong. 2-yr., field-grown plants, \$1.19 each; 3 for \$3.39, postpaid.

R7-NEARLY WILD. A Sub-Zero Floribunda, or Shrub Rose, with probably more constant blooms than any other Rose. The dense, broad, 2 1/2-3 ft. plant is simply loaded with lovely clusters of single flowers, bright apple-blossom-pink and white in color, and larger than the usual wild rose. Gives beautiful color all summer to a creeper planting, or bordering shrubs. Splendid for hedges or foundation setting. Strong. 2-yr., field-grown plants, \$1.29 each; 3 for \$3.59, postpaid.

R8-SHRUB ROSE "COMBINE". One each of F. J. Grootendorst, Harrison's Yellow and Nearly Wild.

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These Three Hardy Beauties for only

F. J.

Grootendorst

RC 69 - EVERBLOOMING BORDER ROSE SPECIAL

1 Else Poulsen 1 Eutin
1 Improved Lafayette 1 Floradora
1 Gruss an Aachen 1 Frensham

SIX DASHING BORDER ROSES

Select, No. 1 1/2, 2-Year Blooming
Size

\$5.55

Only

(Postpaid)

(Three of these lovely Floribunda Roses are pictured at right, and all are described and individually priced on page 59.)

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Gruss an Aachen
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Floradora
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SUB ZERO HYBRID TEA ROSES

PICTURED IN COLOR ON PAGE 58.

The new race of Everblooming Roses, bred to develop greater hardiness, longer life, greater resistance to disease, and still give a wealth of Rose blooms in all their glory of color and fragrance. All over the country they perform magnificently, but are especially fine in the Midwest and Northern sections where conditions are more severe.

R27—CURBY PINK (Pat. No. 842). Rich, luminous pink, two-toned, with several large flowers on a single stem. Each petal rolls back slightly to give it unusual beauty of form. One of the finest and highest rated of all pink roses. See color photo on opposite page. **Select. No. 1 plants, \$1.85 each; 3 for \$5.10, postpaid.**

R28—HANDSON RED (Pat. Applied For). New, red everblooming rose of outstanding beauty and performance. Big buds of perfect form open to very large dazzling flowers of the most vivid scarlet-crimson, with wonderful velvety sheen. The strong, healthy plant produces many of these superb blooms throughout the season. It is truly "Handson Red" from start to finish. We show this in color on page 58. **Select. No. 1 plants, \$1.85 each; 3 for \$5.10, postpaid.**

R29—LILY PONS (Pat. No. 420). Large, graceful flowers of white with soft lemon yellow center; very free blooming. A beautiful rose as you will note in the color illustration on opposite page. **Select. No. 1 plants, \$1.85 each; 3 for \$5.10, postpaid.**

R30—TIP TOES (Pat. No. 849). Our customers have been delighted with this new and very fine rose. Long pointed buds of rich salmon open to large flowers of blended red, orange and pink; sweet, spicy fragrance. Shown in color on page 58. **Select. No. 1 plants, \$1.85 each; 3 for \$5.10, postpaid.**

R31—V FOR VICTORY (Pat. No. 543). Large, double, clear yellow flowers that do not fade; fine fragrance. We consider it one of the finest of all yellow roses; constantly in bloom. We show it in color on opposite page. **Select. No. 1 plants, \$1.85 each; 3 for \$5.10, postpaid.**

R31—CIRCUS (Pat. No. 1382). The Only All-America Rose Winner for 1955, and the most charming multicolored rose yet introduced. There is a constant changing of delightful, blending colors—buds of bright yellow, red and orange opening to full, hybrid-tea style flowers of orange-bud edged and splashed with shades of pink and corse. Strong, healthy, 2-2½ ft. bush, an abundance of glossy green foliage, with a mass of handsome, colorful roses all summer long. A great rose for borders, hedges, clumps, and for cutting. See picture at top of page 60. **2-yr., select, \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.60, postpaid.**

R32—CORICORICO (Pat. No. 1193). A gay, rollicking Rose of orange-scarlet to spectrum red, as bright as a field of Poppies. The good sized, 2½-3 in. flowers are semi-double, with 5 to 9 broad, very velvety petals and spicy fragrance. Blooms continuously in well formed clusters on strong stems, plant strong and healthy, growing 2½ ft. tall. Winner of many awards. Coricorico cut sprays make handsome bouquets, and in the garden it is a constant bright spot. The picture on page 60 does not show the color bright enough. **2-yr., select, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.**

R33—FASHION (Pat. No. 789). Highest award winner in the 1950 Rose selections, and has also won high honors abroad. All season the 24-inch plant is covered with fine clusters of sparkling, fragrant flowers of rich coral pink suffused with gold, and are very long lasting. A wonderful rose for beds and hedges, and probably the most popular of all Floribunda. See color photo on page 60. **2-yr., select, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.**



Wonderful, All-Summer Roses for Hedges and Borders

These are ideal for edging, for low hedges and borders. Excellent to mass in front of evergreens or shrubs, to surround the birth bath, or to grow along the walk or driveway.

R62—ELSE POULSEN. Splendid border or hedge rose, 4 ft. tall, with lovely rose-pink clustered flowers all season long. Fragrant. Color photo is shown at foot of page 58.

R63—EUTIN. Double, fragrant, brilliant carmine red flowers in immense clusters, often 50 or more in one cluster. Dark green, shiny foliage; extra strong, healthy plant and wonderfully free blooming, 24 inches. One of the showiest of all border roses.

R64—IMPROVED LAFAYETTE. Great border rose, heavily covered with glowing cherry-red flowers all season. The fragrant blooms are ideal for cutting. **2½-3 ft.**

R66—FLORADORA. Brilliant orange-flamed, red, and one of the most vivid of all. Strong, 2½-3 ft. plants are constantly in bloom, and are fine for cutting. See color photo on page 58.

R67—GRUSS AN AACHEN. In great favor everywhere. The broad, bushy plant grows about 18 inches tall, and is completely covered with large, fragrant, fully double flowers of delicate salmon-pink, buds somewhat deeper. Lovely in the garden; excellent for cutting. Shown in color on page 58.

R68—FRENCHMAN. This Great, New Floribunda Rose is Pictured on Page 60. Unusually sturdy 30-in. plants are ablaze with deep crimson blooms all season.

Both buds and flowers are beautifully formed, unfading, and make handsome bouquets. One of the very finest for beds and borders. Just last year Frenchman captured the Gold Medal Award of the American Rose Society. Just two other roses have been so honored.

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Superior FLORIBUNDA ROSES

Famous Everblooming Roses for Brilliant Garden Display and Hardy Everywhere!

Plant these glorious Floribundas for a colorful mass of beautiful, clustered flowers all summer long. They are grand border plants for the ranch style home, or to set off the picture window. Their combining so perfectly with evergreens and shrubbery groups, and in hedges or beds are unsurpassed. Most of these are shown in color on the front and back covers.

R54—GOLDBLOCKS (Pat. No. 672). From late spring until late fall Goldlocks is crowned with sunny clusters of bright yellow, fully double flowers, sweetly fragrant. Grows 24 inches tall. The best yellow variety. Note picture at top of page 60. **2-yr., select, \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.65, postpaid.**

R55—INDEPENDENCE (Pat. No. 1036). The brilliant orange-scarlet color of Independence is so vivid that words or color illustrations fail to do it justice. Borne in clusters of 6 or more, its bright color is well accented by its rich glossy foliage. It forms a compact, 2-2½ ft. bush and produces an abundance of large, gay flowers all season. Mild tea rose fragrance. See picture of this beauty on the front cover. **2-yr., select, \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.65, postpaid.**

R56—JIMINY CRICKET (Pat. No. 1346). All-American Selection for 1955, and a sensation! Dainty urn-shaped buds of glowing tangerine-red burst into handsome 3½-inch flowers of coral-orange and vermillion softening to coral-pink. Extremely hardy, healthy plant, growing 3-4 ft. tall, has a grand display of these charming rose blooms all summer. See picture in color on page 60. **2-yr., select, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.**

R57—RED PINOCCHIO (Pat. No. 812). Big, 3-inch blooms of velvety scarlet-red are borne in large clusters and last an unusually long time. Delightful fragrance. A garden favorite and wonderful in bouquets. See picture of this vivid rose on page 60. **2-yr., select, \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.65, postpaid.**

R58—SPARTAN (Pat. No. 1357). Scores of gorgeous burnt-orange buds open slowly to long, beautiful Hybrid-Tea shaped blooms of warm orange-red, with sweet, old rose fragrance. These rich, fully double flowers are borne on long stems and are perfect for cutting. The strong, hardy, healthy plant carries a mass of these stunning flowers from June until severe frost. See picture of this new, outstanding Floribunda on the front cover. **2-yr., select, \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.20, postpaid.**

R59—VOGUE (Pat. No. 926). This brilliant Floribunda, pictured on the front cover, was the 1952 All-America Award Winner, and has won many other awards in this country and abroad. Well formed buds open into handsome, 3-4 in. flowers of intense cherry-coral of Hybrid-Tea form, and are delightfully fragrant. The sturdy, bushy plants often grow 2½-3 ft. tall, and develop striking borders and hedges. They combine beautifully with evergreens and shrubs. All season long the plants are covered with the colorful sprays that are so fine for cutting. **2-year, select, \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.25, postpaid.**

R60—WHITE BOUQUET (Pat. No. 1415). The loveliest white Floribunda, and the 1957 All-America Winner. The garden-like flowers of luminous white open fully, often 4-5 inches across, and have sweet spicy fragrance. These enchanting blooms are constantly produced, both in clusters and singly, and are wonderful for cutting. Splendid for the white border or clump, or combines strikingly with the more colorful types. We picture this great, new Floribunda on page 60. **2-yr., select, \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.60, postpaid.**

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1 Frensham

1 Independence

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on front cover) **\$444**
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(All of these beautiful Floribunda
Roses are described and individually
priced on page 59.)

FASHION

FRENSHAM
(See page 59)